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Effluent to occupy VCSD

A brief agenda faces Valley Community Services District directors tonight at their 7:30 meeting in VCSD headquarters, but one item could blossom into a lengthy discussion.

That item is Paul Ryan's — VCSD General Manager— proposal concerning the handling of treated effluent at Camp Parks.

VCSD has been hassling with the Army since 1971 as the overextended sewer service provided by the district also has to handle Camp Parks' waste as well. Ryan, among other things, wants to meet with the Sewer Committee in the near future to discuss a report prepared for the district.

Other action will include discussion of the Dublin Swim Club's request to use the San Ramon Olympic Pool for a "B" meet and a report by the district staff on the Corps' of Engineers study.

Committee reports, remarks from the floor and the consent calendar should round out the evening.

Woman dies in collision

Eighteen-year-old Paul Marie Howell was killed instantly shortly before 2 a.m., Sunday, when her car was rammed head on at Valley Avenue just east of Blackbird Way by a pickup truck driven by George H. Turner, 44, 1903 Greenwood Rd., Pleasanton. A first-year student at Chabot College, Howell had moved to Pleasanton with her family some six months ago from Washington. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Swanson, 2290 Raven Rd., will accompany the body to Sunnyside Washington for services. Turner suffered chest and facial injuries and was admitted to Valley Memorial Hospital where he is listed in satisfactory condition. An investigation is continuing, according to police.

15th race may get a 45 percent vote

An estimated 45 per cent of the 88,509 registered voters in the 15th Assembly District is expected to go to the polls today to select a successor to the late Carlos Bee.

That estimate came from Alameda County Acting Registrar of Voters' Jim Riggs, whose 40 percent estimate for the February primary proved to be the most accurate. (A total of 38.1 percent voted.)

The electorate will choose between conservative Democrat Floyd Mori, the 35-year-old mayor of Pleasanton and an economics instructor, and moderate Republican Guy Puccio, 34, a Castro Valley real estate appraiser. Lonnie Moore, 59, of Hayward is also listed on the ballot as the American Independent Party candidate but he has done no campaigning.

Given the two-thirds Democratic registration of the district, it is perhaps not surprising the campaign efforts of both Mori and Puccio have been aimed at the Democrats.

Democrats have been bombarded with campaign literature, both for and against Mori, while Republicans have been virtually ignored. One of the few mailers Republicans reported receiving is a pro-Mori piece put out by "Republicans for Mori" and financed by Mori's campaign committee.

Both camps have been accused of political skulduggery: Puccio because of two letters sent out by "Democrats for Good Government" which infer Mori is not for good government and call him an "unacceptable" candidate; and Mori for a mailer which characterizes Puccio as a "political carpetbagger".

Political observors have estimated expenditures for both candidates may run as high as $75,000 (jointly), although according to the most recent campaign statements (which included primary election expenses), Mori had spent only $16,000 and Puccio only $14,000 as of Feb. 22.

If these estimates hold true, the campaign blitz of the past week will carry a high price tag.

—Pat Widder

29 candidates vie for 12 seats

Twenty-nine candidates will be vying for a total of 12 seats in six valley school district board races today.

Polls are open from 7 a.m. until 8 p.m. today. Results from all precincts will be taken to county election offices in Oakland and Martinez for tabulation.

Two of the most wide-open races are anticipated in the Murray Elementary School District and San Ramon Valley Unified School District. The latter finds 10 aspirants competing for two seats, both vacated by board members who chose not to run again.

Only one incumbent is in the Murray race where two present trustees decided not to seek another term. Six are competing for three seats.

Livermore and Amador both have a predominant number of incumbents seeking another four-year term.

With the withdrawal of Ed Butts, two incumbents will be challenged by one newcomer in Livermore.

Two veteran board members plus a third who is presently leading the Pleasanton Elementary board are in the race for the two Amador seats. A newcomer to school board elections rounds out the field.

Only one present trustee seek's another term in the Pleasanton race, challenged by three first-time office seekers. Two seats are also up for election, the same as Amador and Livermore.

Sunol Glen, with 341 registered voters in two precincts, is the lone district where an incumbent is running unopposed for the single seat open.

Livermore is the largest district in the valley registrationwise with 17,442 eligible in 50 precincts.

Amador is second with 15,444 eligible voters in 42 precincts. Pleasanton has 8,236 registered voters in 21 precincets, Murray 6,867 in 19 precincts.

Initial results on the races are not expected until after 10 this evening with final tallies possible by Wednesday morning.

Call Times for election results

The Times will have complete election results beginning at 8 a.m. Wednesday. Call 462-4160.

For results this evening, call the Alameda County Registrar of Voter's office at 874-6361.

Livermore Unified School District voters may call the school district office, 447-9500, anytime between 9:30 p.m. and midnight on election night for results of the school board race and school building measure.

Fairground will host Irish fest

PLEASANTON — An Irish Fest, professional wrestling and 4-H Guide Dogs trials are just a small part of the wide variety of events occuring this month at the County Fairgrounds.

The Irish Fest is set for Saturday, March 15, the pro wrestling card Friday. March 21 and the trials, sponsored by Alameda County 4-H clubs, Sunday, March 9.

A March of Dimes Walkathon will start from the Fairgrounds this Saturday. A Livermore Junior Women's Club social and model rocket launchings are also set Saturday.

Autocrosses are planned the next two Sundays by Fiat America and Sports Car Autocross team.

The Pleasanton Rotary Club has a social planned March 15 and the Independent Order of Foresters will hold an Easter egg hunt Saturday, March 29.

Murray, Livermore districts

Pair of vital fund issues face voters

In two Valley school districts, pupils and teachers will be greatly affected by voters' decisions as they mark their ballots today.

The districts are Livermore Unified and Murray Elementary (serving Dublin and Pleasanton.) On Livermore's ballot are Measures "B" and "C", adding up to $10.2 million in building improvements.

Murray is attempting to pass Measure "D", a revenue limit raise which would enable that district to continue with their regular program without making drastic cuts.

In Livermore, nobody is willing to consider the possibility the much - endorsed building measures may fail to get the needed 50 per cent plus one vote. However, Rudy D'Ambra, director of facilities for the district, yesterday outlined the consequences to the district's children if the measure doesn't pass.

"Of course, the new schools won't be built by next September anyway," he explained. "According to our attendance predictions, the kids are going to fit like a glove into the available space next fall. It's going to be very, very tight but with some busing of students out of the westside, we can accommodate everyone.

"Livermore's two building measures aren't primarily for growth but for upgrading our facilities. There will be one new school, to accommodate about 650 elementary pupils. There will be some new portables at both high schools, and three other permanent core schools to replace the portables we have now.

"If the bond doesn't pass, it will mean some double sessions. It will mean the kids at Rancho and the other mini - schools will continue to do without a multipurpose room and all the other facilities permanent schools have.

"It will mean the kids at Junction will continue to use facilities meant for kindergarteners to sixth graders instead of junior high students. And it will mean substandard facilities will remain throughout the district.

The Livermore measures would cost the owner of a $40,000 home about $60 a year in additional taxes when repayment of the money is at its height. As the bonds are retired, taxes would drop off considerably.

In Murray, taxpayers are being asked to support a measure that would save 27 certificated (mostly teaching) positions, give teachers a raise (last year they received only 3 per cent while the cost of living jumped about 10) and stave off a 10 per cent across - the - board cut. There will also be cuts in the outdoor education and other programs to keep the Murray district from going into deficit spending as inflation eats away at the budget.

Under Senate Bill 90, the amount of money that may be raised locally is frozen and may only be changed by election.

The Murray measure would raise taxpayers' bills by about $100 a year for the owner of a $40,000 home.

The Times endorses

Amador High School District
Charles Beazley, Dr. Geraldine Donaldson

Murray Elementary District
Robert Foster, Ann Henderson, Peter Snyder

Pleasanton Elementary District
Betty Nostrand, Joe Schwab

Livermore School District
Betty Carrell, Demetra Wilson

Measure D Murray
Yes
Measures B & C Livermore
Yes

First Tom Hart award this spring

PLEASANTON — The Tom Hart Memorial Scholarship committee will award the first scholarship in the name of the late Amador-Pleasanton administrator this spring.

In accordance with Mr. Hart's philosophies and concurring with the wishes of the family, it was decided that the most appropriate use of the fund would be for a scholarship program. The initial grant will be awarded through the auspices of the Amador Valley Scholarships, Inc. In addition, the committee decided to establish a perpetual and vocational student.

The group noted that Mr. Hart always had a strong feeling for the non-college oriented person and recalled a talk he had given: "We seem to be hung up today on this college thing. It's the great symbol . . . the only goal. But what about the youngsters who are not college material, and yet who might well be trained for a craft . . . to use their hands . . . to be good office workers, machinists and home economists. I'm afraid education has always given these youngsters the short end of things. They've been shunted into the corner and forgotten."

The committee will consider various plans for increasing the existing funds and establishing themselves as a formally incorporated group.

Persons wishing to contribute may send checks made out to the Tom Hart Memorial Scholarship fund, to the First National Bank of Pleasanton, Pleasanton 94566.

Neil Sweeney chairs the committee which is composed of Carl Krause, Gene Vargas, Ron Alsup, Inez Griffith, Ione Arnold, Don Seaver, Bob Scruggs, Helen Vardon, Jack Gardner, Barbara Carter, Bob Hagler, Bev Lester and Joe Schwab.

Scruggs will be the panel's representative to Amador Valley Scholarships, Inc.

Trustees tackle finances

PLEASANTON — Pleasanton Elementary School District board members will act on resolutions concerning collective bargaining and school finances at their Wednesday meeting.

Trustees convene at 7:30 p.m. in the District Educational Center at 123 Main St.

The board is also scheduled to approve a contract for consultant services with Keith Breon, take final action on a claim for damages policy, hear a Pleasanton Elementary School report and set a date (tentatively March 19) for a review of school attendance areas and transportation.

Superintendent Bruce Newlin also plans to setup a meeting with the Amador and Murray districts on curriculum in grades kindergarten through 12.

JFK University talks about Pleasanton site

"What I'm trying to find out is if there any interest in the University here in Pleasanton" says Harold Ballew, a regent of John F. Kennedy University, now located in Martinez.

The university is getting too big for its present headquarters and recently the regents have started casting about for an alternate site.

This is the third time in the last ten years that Pleasanton has been mentioned as the possible home for a college, but Ballew indicates the discussions are in a very preliminary stage. "Nothing's been arrived at but to study it some more" said Ballew, although a meeting was held between the president of Nuclepore Corporation in Pleasanton and several key local figures.

Most of the discussion about the eventual site of JFK University centers around the Walnut Creek - Lafayette - Concord area, although no decisions have been made.

Ballew is hopeful that Pleasanton might be considered.

"There are a number of sites around here" stated Ballew and mentioned the presently abandoned Volkswagen warehouse near the intersection of the freeways 580 and 680.

JFK University, according to Ballew, is aimed at students who have been out of school for some time. It teaches in the fields of management, law, public administration, business administration and related fields and has about 500 students.

A permanent staff of 35 supplies the organization around which approximately 100 lawyers, businessman and governmental employes serve as part-time professors.

The university cannot expand in its present location but must move by early 1976, according to Ballew.

'Good times' gets nod from Chamber

PLEASANTON — The Pleasanton Chamber of Commerce Tuesday endorsed in principle the idea of a "Good Times" parade and gave flat-out support to again conducting the Street Faire.

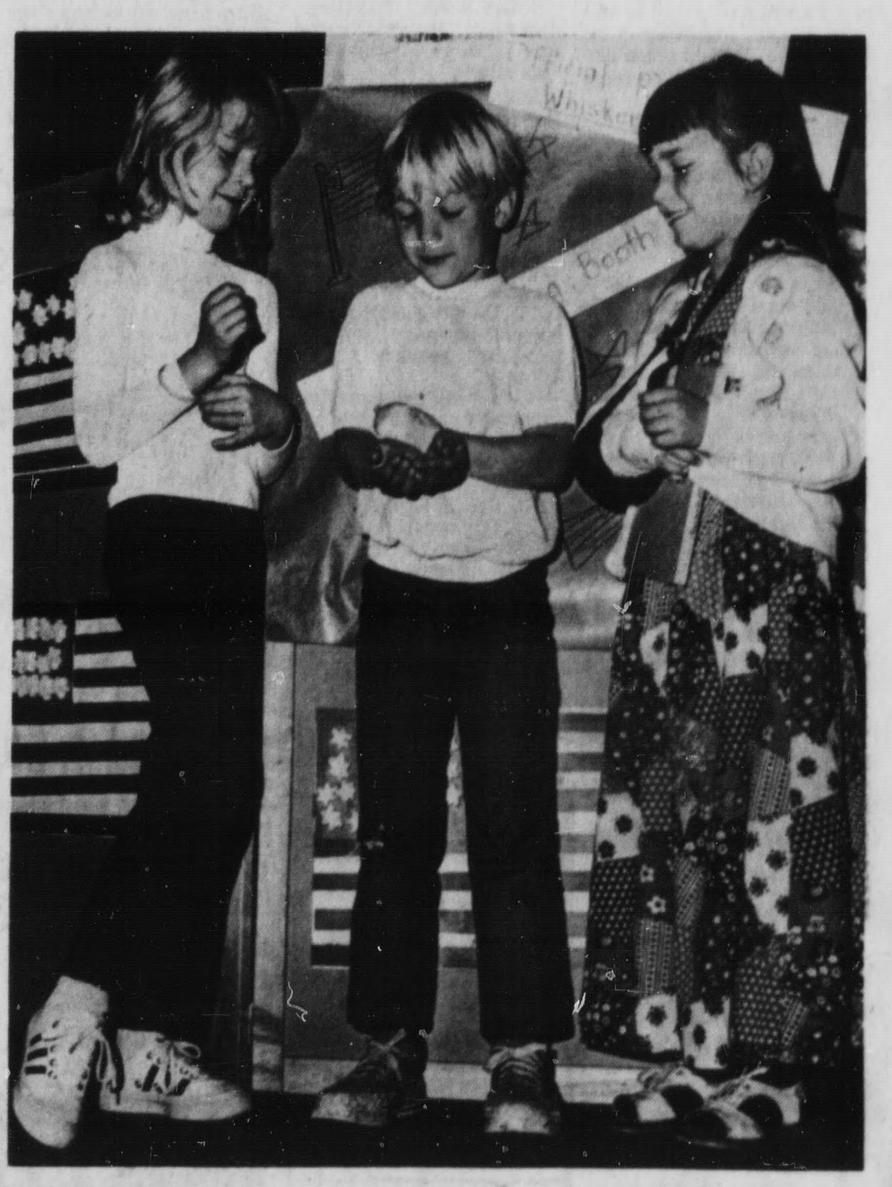
No date has been set for the parade, though chamber leaders, Mayor Pro Tem Ed Kinney and Radio KNBR promoters were considering Saturday, May 3.

However, it was learned Tuesday that the venerable Hayward Rodeo and parade are scheduled that weekend. The rodeo at Rowell Ranch has been a fixture for almost half a century and will be preceeded again this year by a major parade through Hayward. The latter is set for Friday night, May 2.

The Street Faire would be held in conjunction with the Pleasanton Art League's annual show. Both are now on the calendar for the May 3-4 weekend.

In addition, the long-established Rose Show held at the First National Bank of Pleasanton will quite likely be held in May. The date cannot be precisely determined now because of the weather and its impact on budding plants.

What it all amounts to at this juncture is that two or more of the events may have to share a weekend and stand the chance of drawing smaller crowds.



Vote today!

These Rincon School kindergarteners did! They voted to name their pet hamster 'Whiskers' instead of 'Snowflake,' 'Butterscotch,' 'Flower' or 'Sunny.' Debby Haines, Donnie Hoffman and Tammy Hall display the wiggly object of their election. Voters are reminded polls are open today, 7 a.m. to 8 p.m., for the Assembly and school board races. (Times photo)

Valley Obituaries

Wright

Bessie M. Wright, 88, of Livermore, died Saturday, March. 1, 1975, in a local hospital after a brief illness.

A native of Nebraska, she came to California and made her home in Alameda County for 40 years, owning and operating a dry cleaners in Berkeley before moving to Livermore.

A member of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, and the Senior Citizens of Berkeley, she was also a member of the American Legion of Berkeley.

She was the wife of the late Joseph Wright and the mother of the late Roy E. Wright, both of Berkeley, and is survived by two grandchildren, Jack Wright and Jerry Specht, both of Tombstone, Arizona, a nephew, Donald Upshaw, Livermore, a niece, Serena Upshaw, Brentwood, three great grandchildren and one great great grandchild.

Funeral services will be Friday, 2 p.m., in the Garden Chapel of Livermore Mortuary. Margaret Ann Connor, C. S., will officiate.

Interment will be in Sunset View Cemetery, Berkeley.

Wauhab

SUNOL — Julia M. Wauhab died at her Sunol home March 3, 1975, at the age of 64.

A native of San Jose, she was employed as a registered nurse for the General Motors Assembly Plant in Fremont.

She was a member of the California Industrial Nurses' Association, Business and Professional Women, Cowbelles, and the local historical society and women ranchers association.

Mrs. Wauhab is survived by her two daughters, Julie Eckroat of Sunol and LaVerne Mazzilli of Stockton; two sisters, Mary Gonzales, Santa Clara and Nell Harrison, San Francisco; and three brothers, Jack Ruscigno, Marysville, and Antone and Joseph Ruscigno, both of San Jose. She also is survived by three grandchildren."

Rosary will be recited tonight at 8:30 p.m. in the Graham and Hitch Mortuary Chapel, 675 St. John St., Pleasanton. Mass will be celebrated at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday morning in St. Raymond's Church, Dublin, followed by interment at St. Augustine's Cemetery in Pleasanton.

Friends may call at the mortuary after noon today.

Sigert

James F. Sigert, 80, died in a local convalescent hospital, Friday, Feb. 14, 1975.

A native of California, Mr. Sigert lived in the Livermore area for the past 20-years.

Although he leaves no immediate family, many friends mourn his passing.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m., Wednesday in the Chapel of Callaghan Mortuary where friends may call between 7 and 9 p.m., Tuesday.

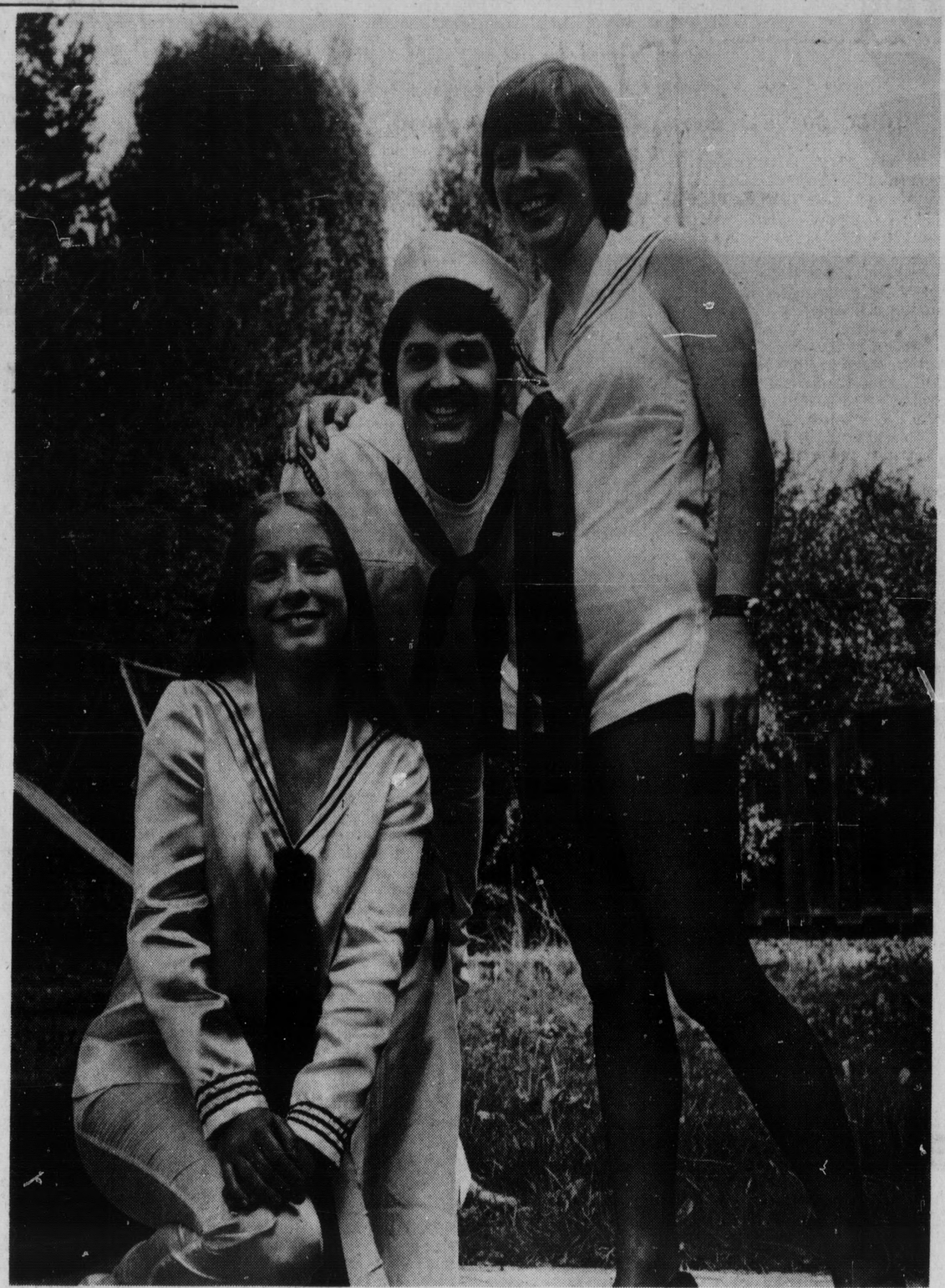
Frankland

Funeral services for Dorothy B. Frankland will be held at 1 p.m., Wednesday, in the Chapel of the Chimes, 32992 Mission Blvd., Hayward.

Mrs. Frankland, a native Californian and member of the California Nursing Association, had been an employe of Valley Memorial Hospital for six years. She died Monday, Mar. 3, 1975, in a Pleasanton convalescent hospital after a two year illness. She is survived by her daughters, Nancy Jean Lee of Livermore, and Patricia Lea Burgener, El Cerrito, and son John T. Frankland, Cypress, California, in addition to seven grandchildren.

Private interment will be held following the services.

Friends may call after 6 p.m., Tuesday.



Look at those "Dames"

Gael Schaefer, Carl Daddio and Cyndi Sayre are three cast members of the Pleasanton Playhouse production of "Dames at Sea". The musical spoof of the 1930's will be presented March 7, 8, 9, 14, 15, 16, 22 and 23 at the Veterans Memorial Building. Tickets are $3 ($2 for students, senior citizens and groups) and may be purchased at the Civic Center or the Chamber of Commerce office.

Dublin library anticipates go-ahead for starter loan

Supporters of the new Dublin Library are expected to get a boost at today's Board of Supervisors meeting in Oakland, as the supervisors are expected to approve a proposal by the Library Expansion Advisors for Dublin (LEAD) and the County Library to borrow money from the County Employes' Retirement Fund to get started on the project.

Last year, voters approved a tax rate increase for a new library to replace the present cramped quarters on Village Parkway. Now, library adherents are hoping to borrow against the money that is coming from the tax rise to get going on the new building.

A site has not yet been determined for the library.

The supervisors are being asked to approve LEAD's request and refer it to the County Administrator so that he may negotiate with the Retirement Board.

In other action, and there's a lot of it since last week's meeting was cancelled due to a lack of a quorum, the board will spend some time hearing appeals from billboard owners against zoning administration decisions concerning their signs. Thirteen billboards of varying shapes and sizes in the Valley will be considered.

The Alameda County Fairgrounds will take up some of the supervisors' time, as they will consider adding to the Livestock Judging Shelter to the tune of $65,000 and building an overpass for horses for $150,800.

Correspondence from the United States Department of Justice indicates that the much - ballyhooed "911" emergency dialing system will not be installed as previously thought.

Funding problems will prevent the system— which would have connected all phones to an emergency center with the dialing of 911— from being put in at present.

The meeting, if a quorum is present, will begin at 9 a.m. at the County Administration Building in the Supervisors' Chambers on the fifth floor.

School finances topic of talks set at Chabot

Administrators, school board members and teacher and classified group reps will meet with area legislators and county school executives on the question of school finances this Friday.

The two-hour "Overview-1975" is scheduled for 3 p.m. in Building 600 at Chabot College in Hayward.

Several board members, teacher group reps and administrators from Livermore, Murray, Sunol and Pleasanton school districts will be in attendance. The Castro Valley School District will serve as host.

All districts in the county will be represented at the seminar dealing with what most districts feel is a critical period in school financing.

Moderator will be Robert C. Coney, deputy superintendent of Alameda County Schools.

Legislators expected include Sen. John Holmdahl, 8th District; Assemblymen Bill Lockyer, 14th District; Ken Meade, 12th District; John Miller, 13th District; Alister McAllister, 25th District.

Robert McConnell, superintendent of the Alameda Unified School District, will open the program by speaking on "Overview 1975; The Problem."

The next series of speakers will discuss the problem as seen by their respective organizations.

Legislators will follow with the legislative perspective of the school financing problem.

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San Ramon teachers want 17.5%

Members of the California School Employes Association (CSEA) of the San Ramon Valley Unified School District are asking a total salary increase of 17½ per cent.

Employes Association representative Dave Stegman said a 5 per cent salary increase is being sought plus a 12½ per cent cost of living adjustment.

School district Superintendent Allan J. Petersdorf called the wage demands "unrealistic."

Also asked by the CSEA is that a 37½ hour work week replace the present 40 hour week and that all employe benefits continue to be paid by the district.

The benefit package (medical, dental and others) is crucial to the CSEA, said Stegman.

"If the benefits change it would be very bad for classified personnel," said Stegman.

The CSEA represents about 70 per cent of all classified personnel in the district (employes without teaching certification).

The Certified Employe Council (CEC) demanded that certified personnel receive a 6 per cent salary increase along with a cost of living adjustment for the period from March 1974 to March 1975.

The CEC cost of living adjustment will amount to about 12 per cent, making the total demand about 18 per cent.

Stegman said the CSEA sent questionnaires to all members asking them what salary and benefit package they wanted presented to the school board.

The CSEA also compared its demands to other CSEA's in the Bay Area.

Without the cost of living adjustment and the 5 per cent salary increase the valley CSEA would fall behind other districts of comparable size, said Stegman.

He said it is only a matter of time before all districts institute a 37½ hour work week and that the CSEA feels now is the time to ask for it.

Other demands are also proposed by the CSEA.

Petersdorf said the demands are unrealistic in light of the present economic situation.

The salary demands, along with the reduction of work time with a 37½ hour week, makes the total overall salary increase 23.7 per cent, said Petersdorf.

The district board of trustees will announce counter proposals publicly in response to the demands of the CSEA and the CEC.

Following the public proposals, negotiations between the district and the employe organizations will continue in executive sessions.

Last year both the CSEA and the CEC received an 8.2 per cent salary increase.

Stegman said he expects the CSEA and the CEC to receive salary increases in line with each other again this year.

Stegman admits that the school district is experiencing financial difficulties.

Each 1 per cent increase in salaries costs the district about $130,000, he said.

A salary increase of about 8 per cent, therefore, would cost the district about $1 million.

Areas that would be cut by the district would probably center on extra - curricular programs.

The district may attempt to cut back on programs and may reduce personnel through attrition.

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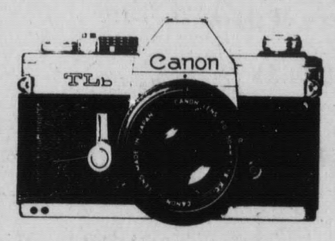
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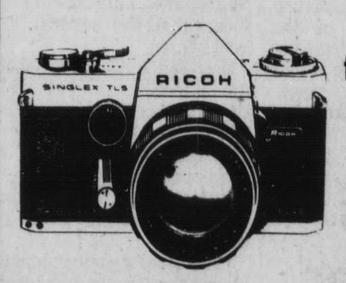
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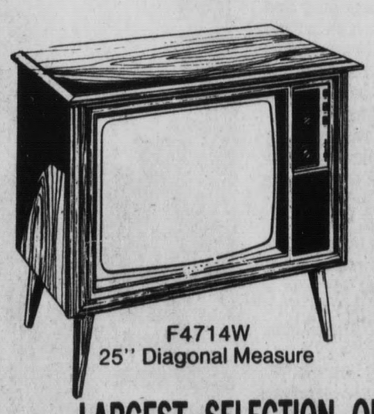
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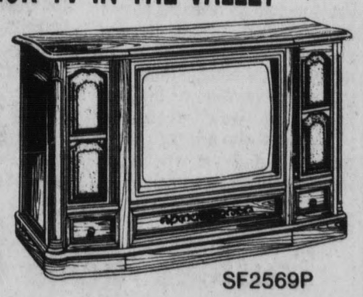
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ERIC TRUJILLO, AS THE MAJOR GENERAL, IS IN COMMAND
His daughters—Lori McAdoo, Karen Kohlbeck and Sheri Dutcher—look on

Some very good pirates

"I think positive things that children do should get some credit too" said Judy Earl firmly. "You people concentrate too much on negative things."

Along with Mary Jane Hyde, she and 60 fourth graders put on a truncated version of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Pirates of Penzance" last week for their school and their parents and this week they'll take their highly polished show on the road.

The amount of work and dedication that went into the "Pirates of Penzance" was enormous and the two teachers agree that the parents were of great assistance.

Elaborate costumes and spirited participation by the youngsters made the show a rousing success to every audience.

Greg Karels as the Pirate King, Pat Bacher as Frederic, Debbie Worthington as Ruth, Karen Kohlbeck, Sheri Dutcher and Lori McAdoo as the Major-General's Daughters, ebullient Eric Trujillo as the Major General and John Craw as the Sergeant of Police were all excellent and the chorus, pirates and police all did justice to Gilbert and Sullivan.

After playing to a capacity house last Wednesday night, the troupe hits the road this week.

Railroad relocation is 'safe'

LIVERMORE — Safety was indeed a consideration in partial state funding of this city's railroad relocation project, Public Utilities Commission (PUC) President Vernon Sturgeon has informed Sen. Alfred Alquist (D-SJ).

Rather than appearing in the project's Environmental Impact Report, the safety factor was mentioned originally in the priority list prepared by the state to fund such projects, Sturgeon said in a letter to the senator received late last week.

Sturgeon's letter was in response to correspondence from Alquist, chairman of the state Senate Committee on Public Utilities, Transit and Energy, who questioned the propriety of the PUC's approval to fund Livermore's project.

Alquist's letter of Feb. 3 to Sturgeon pointed out that the principal objective of the project's EIR was to make possible the redevelopment and expansion of the central business district.

This could constitute a misuse of public funds, the senator wrote, since state funding is supposed to be used for the elimination of hazardous railroad-highway grade crossings.

Replied Sturgeon last week, "You will recall that only crossings which have previously been designated as 'hazardous,' after public hearings and rated on a statewide priority list, can make application for authority to construct.

"North P Street in Livermore was rated number three out of 78 listings on the commission's 1973 list.

"...I agree that it would be better form if the text of our decision stated that the crossings had previously been subject to scrutiny from a public safety point of view," the PUC president wrote.

"Sen. Alquist still is looking into it (the approval)..although it does appear safety was a factor," commented Tim Davis, assistant consultant to the senator's legislative committee.

Livermore's $3.9 million project entails realigning the Western Pacific and Southern Pacific railroad tracks so they run together through town and the construction of an automobile underpass beneath the tracks on N. P Street and N. Livermore Avenue.

The project currently is 10 per cent complete.

Funding is from the state, city (largely through assessment districts of those businesses who stand to profit from the commercial land that will be opened up by the project) and the two railroads involved.

Pleas by those opponents to Alquist prompted his letter to the PUC. The senator's letter in turn drew a strongly-worded response from Livermore City Manager Bill Parness defending the safety factors of the project and critizing Alquist for not contacting the city for further information.

Alquist answered Parness' letter Feb. 20 and in turn received a reply from the PUC.

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Need for narcotics leads to chase, and then arrest

LIVERMORE — A polite but allegedly armed robber was arrested Saturday afternoon after demanding drugs at two downtown pharmacies.

Police say Steven F. Wilson, 32, of Berkeley, obtained 200 tablets of morphine from the 1320 Railroad Ave. Thrifty Drug Store by claiming he had a gun in his pocket.

A similar ruse at the nearby Value Giant Pharmacy failed when Wilson allegedly was frightened away by customers.

According to police reports, Wilson approached prescription supervisor Brian C. Clay in Thrifty Drugs shortly before 4 p.m., and, simulating a gun in his pocket, demanded narcotics.

"I don't want to hurt anyone," he reportedly said. "I want all your Class A's. You know, dilaudid."

("Class A" is an antiquated term for hard drugs, according to one of the pharmacists.)

Clay stalled by looking for outdated and damaged narcotics in the pharmacy safe, but Wilson allegedly reached over Clay's shoulder and picked up two bottles of morphine tablets.

"Do you mind if write this down?" inquired Clay "I have to file a report on it."

"No," said Wilson, as he held up one of the bottles for Clay.

Wilson allegedly turned quickly and headed down one of the aisles while Clay made his way to the public address system.

"Don't do that. I don't want to hurt anyone," the report claims Wilson said.

Clay didn't touch the p.a. system, but followed Wilson out side where he stepped into a yellow, late model Pinto.

Patrol units were cruising the area after an earlier report of an attempted armed robbery at the Value Giant Pharmacy, 1623 Chestnut St., in which the suspect approached pharmacist Edward Low and assistant manager Roger L. MacRae.

The suspect, later identified by Low and MacRae as Wilson, allegedly waited around the store for five or 10 minutes until customers left, then approached the pharmacy and, patting his coat as though he were armed, said, "I have a gun. I want your Class A's."

MacRae and some customers inadvertently approached the drug counter frightening Wilson, who bolted for the door. Officer Donn Neher, patroling the area after the first attempted robbery and given a description of the Pinto after the Thrifty Drug affair, spotted Wilson stopped in a line of traffic on L Street.

Sgt. Bill Bankert came to Neher's aid, blocking Wilson's car as it moved slowly up the street.

One 100 tablet bottle of one-quarter grain, an another 100 tablet bottle of one-half grain morphine sulphate hypodermic tabs, along with a saw-blade knife and two bottles of Vodka were found in Wilson's car.

While no gun was found, bail was set at $15,250.

Bike safety challenge is tested at Dublin

A Bicycle Safety Day will be held Wednesday, March 5 as an outdoor challenge by girl scouts of Cadette Troop 1963 of Dublin as a service to the students at Neilsen School.

An assembly for grades three, four and five dealing with bicycle safety will be held. The program will feature a film provided by the Dublin Schwinn Cyclery and a guest speaker from the Alameda County Sheriffs' Department.

Following the assembly program, a special bicycle registration we be held with the aid of a member For the fire department.

Scouts responsible for planning and carrying out this program are: Cathy Cahill, Bonnie Monger, Mary Kae Stephen, Erin Taylor and Donna Walters. The troop is under the leadershiop of Mrs. Arlene Silvas and Mrs. Edith Monger.

Yoga classes underway

PLEASANTON — The Recreation Department will offer a series of six yoga classes beginning Friday, Feb. 28.

The Friday sessions will be held from 9:15 to 10:45 a.m. at the Veterans Memorial Building and will be taught by Jean Burton.

Cost is $12. Those interested may sign up at the first class. Bring a mat or rug. For further information, call the Recreation Department at 846-3202, extension 215.

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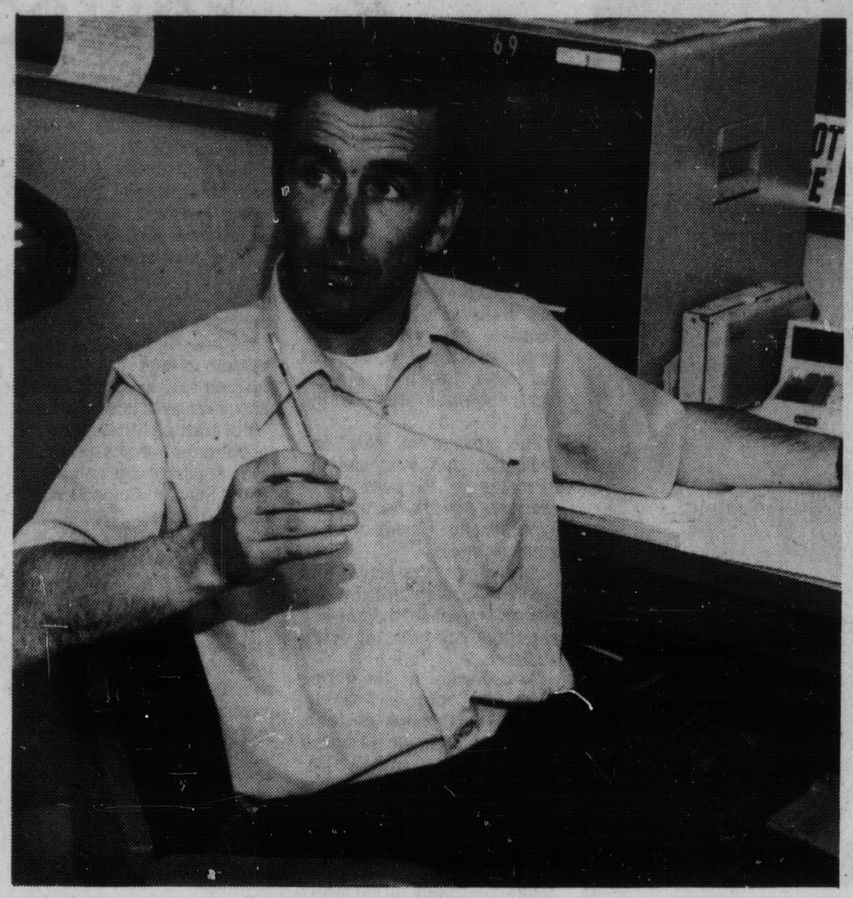

Taking advantage

Sharon Hoots (left) and Lawrence Bacon of the Lawrence Livermore Laboratory are going to get the chance to take advantage of the LLL Technician Scholarship Program. After years of night classes and a part-time college schedule, the pair will receive full salary, plus tuition and fees, while going to college full-time next year. Hoots will be pursuing a physics degree at Cal State Hayward while Bacon will minor in physics and major in mathematics.

Granada, Livermore honor roll total 320 students

LIVERMORE — Livermore High School principal Paul Reginato announces 169 of his students were named to the Principal's Honor Roll for the first semester.

Students taking six or more classes and averaging 3.71 or better grade point average are eligible for the honor.

Freshmen: Cynthia Alviso, Eric Anderson, Karen Anderson, Laurene Bamford, Kelly Barrett, Mary Booth, Roger Bowers, Elizabeth Brown, Christopher Bystroff, Rose Carrillo, Christina Chakakis, Lisa Cigliuti, David Corbett, Christoph Cunningham, Erin Daly, Stephen Davoto, Claire Dunbar, Matthew Finders, James Gates, Abigail Grover, Claudia Haggin, Janelle Holten, Paul Hudson, Jean Humphrey, Lois Johnson, Steven Journeay, Pamela Kahn and Debra Larder.

Also, Pateena Lawson, Christine Lim, Allison Litterst, Zina Lopez, Margo Madrid, Carol McClelland, Glen McFarlane, Mark McLoughlin, Dianne Meester, Dacia Miller, Paula Ng, Lisa Nordyke, Paula Nornes, Gregory Odell, Ignatius Piazza, Mary Remillard, Antoinette Ruiz, Trina Sandoval, Lee Slice, Gilbert Takemora, Lori Thomas, Barbara Wright, Michelle Zagotta.

Sophomores: Carolgay Anderson, Karen C. Anderson, Ellen Angvick, Pamela Baak, Linda Bamford, Toni Bettencourt, Roberta Burdick, David Dearborn, Becky Dubose, Kim Floyd, Loren Fong, Lesley Galloway, Theresa Gerigk, Leigh Gilson, Joanne Goralka, Leslie Harrison, Joel Hicks, Nathan Hoover, Jeannette Jackson, Doralene Janssen, Cathy Johnson, Debra Kendrick, Charlotte Leong, Mary Loewe, Julie Loggins, Kathryn Mendence, Alex Weilson, Ann Newcomb, Peter Newell, Helen Ordaz, Susan Petolet, Sherri Rice, Kathleen Shaw, Kristie Snider, Mark Tewes and Diane Walkup.

Juniors: Jeff Anderson, Arlene Baak, James Becker, Cinda Bond, Susan Briscoe, Katherine Burdick, Lisa Burkett, Michele Button, Carol Chesterman, Thomas Compton, Nancy Corbett, Deborah Cousatte, Lora Crawford, Tawni Crippen, Sheri Dante, Karen Dias, Patricia Dorn, Lisa Edwards, John Frazier, Lori Glaze, Valerie Heusinkveld, Jan Higgins, Raymond Jenkins and Margo Kaifer.

Also, Debra Keyser, Glen Kishi, Patricia Madden, Brian Martin, Megan Matthews, Gregory McFann, Gene Miller, Steven Neef, Deborah Nutter, Mary Olivotti, Robert Quiamzon, Lou Riera, Kurt Sandholtz, Gael Schaefer, Mark Smith, Kimberly Steele, Nancy Thomas, James Volponi, Kimberly Walker, Kenneth Watts, Ann Wondolowski and Neil Zurakowski.

Seniors: Kenneth Ainsworth, Joan Anderson, Karen Bjorklund, Russell Carleton, Jane Carr, Delanie Cassell, Melanie Collins, Claudette Correia, Kenneth Creager, Cynthia Davis, Carole Dolin, Donald Dorn, Anthony Farmer, Joan Foote, Nancy Frary, Paul Frydendal, Steven Hafer, David Harrison, Arleen Hibdon, Bruce Hill, Scott Humphrey, Robert Lewis, Mark Linde, Diane Machuurick, Sheryl McCarty, Friederika Menke, Loretta Mullany, Elicia Newkirk, Carl Ng, Helen Nuckolls, Anthony Panela, Lindsay Patton, Christopher Phelps, Peter Rashe, Margaret Reynolds, Lynn Rogge, Suzanne Stear, Megan Stroud, Scott Thomas, Jack Trigger, Doris Volkman and Jeffrey Williams.

GRANADA

LIVERMORE — A total of 151 students at Granada High School have been named to the Principal's Honor Roll for having attended a minimum of six classes during the first semester and having earned an average of B-plus or better.

Seniors: Teri Andrews, Pamela Critchfield, Sheryl DuCom, Lisa Futch, John Green, Ernesto Domondon, Kellye Just, Debra Lagapa, Karen Leider, Laura Lorbeer, James Mackanic, Elizabeth Overen, Teresa Pfeifer, Roxanne Reidell, Scott Rich, Kimberlee Smith, John Struthers, Roberta Walling, Dorothy Wimsett, Carolyn Wolfe, Ruth Strong, Paula Sveen, Denise Benhard, Michael Cobb, Denise Codiroli, Mary D'Ambra, John Marion, Daniel Murrow, David Simpson, Glenn Baker, Robert Geyer, Linda MacMillan, Robert Schumacher, Ann Schuman, Michael Tanghe, Keith Mehl and David Pitts.

Juniors: Susan Blake, Teresa Coelho, Gaye Gede, Gary Graff, Dana Grzybicki, Karen Holdener, Joanne Kienzle, Cynthia Mabus, Lynn Miller, Barbara Powles, Dawn Rychnocsky, Joseph Schwarz, Kevin Smith, Susan Hicks, Christine Jensen, Glen Journeay, Sarah Kooshian, Pamela Lee, Scott Campbell, Eileen Evens, Michael Guinan, Christopher Hoenig, Deborah Miller, Gina Ohlsen, Mary Rizzo, Blake Sorem, Mary Struthers, Tom Tanasovich, Steven Braun, Lynda Cunningham, Patricia Harvey, Dennette Hinchley, Charlotte Brown, Julie Hutto, Tammie Seifert, Cheryl Thomas, Robert Harvey and Arcilia Ledezma.

Sophomores: Benjamin Belzer, Jeffrey Bubp, Dale Emery, Laura Hamilton, David Longerbeam, William Mills, John Pfeifer, Scott Rychnovsky, Wendy Van Dilla, Kelly Chew, Shari Miller, Jeffrey Mackanic, Linda Paley, Cathy Cowan, Paul Hurdlow, Shelie Irwin, Carl Latkin, Pamela Priebat, Terry Ramus, Paul Schneider, Tracey Stark, Sandra Thomas, Wendy Wills, Craig Wood, David Both, Mark Codiroli, Connie Hensley, Gary Miller, Gary Quast, Patricia Ratcliff, Jerry Michael, William Fritz, Robert Boyle, Laura Dempsey, David Harms, Wayne Kessler, Richard Knox, Donna Waggoner, Rebecca Homan, Joni Innes, Karen Sanderson, Kristina Stasko and Joseph Wujek.

Freshmen: Jess Burden, Robin Fisher, Jacqueline Futch, Steven Holcomb, Lori Marotz, Michele Miller, Mark Sampson, Cheryl Williams, Carol Taylor, Eric Heinitz, Jean McAneny, Mark Schroepfer, Stephen Boyle, Michael Dini, Kathleen Flanagan, Carrie Friend, Mary Kienzle, Richard Lee, Dawn Prendergast, Linda Baughman, Michele Borgess, Terry Escobedo, Gary Graham, Scott Griggs, Chrysanne Lagiss, Laura Liptai, Deborah Parker, Bradley Wood, Ingrid Marsh, Steven Waldera, Katherine Arrieta and Richard Straus.

Marine cited

PLEASANTON — Marine Lance Corporal Gil B. Buss of Pleasanton, has been commended for contributing to his squadron's efficiency, following its recognition by the commanding general of the 2d Marine Aircraft Wing.

He serves with Headquarters and Maintenance Squadron 32 at the Marine Corps Air Station, Beaufort, S.C.

The squadron was awarded the 2d Marine Aircraft Wing Aviation Support Efficiency Trophy, given annually to the support squadron rendering superior performance in maintaining tactical aircraft availability.

A 1971 graduate of Arrellano High School, Manila, Philippines, Buss joined the Marine Corps in September 1972.

At Ft. Ord

Army Private David G. Ogden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn E. Ogden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn E. Ogden, 526 Curlew Road, completed eight weeks of basic combat training at Ft. Ord, Calif.

Amador honors to four seniors

PLEASANTON — Four Amador Valley High School seniors will be competing for cash awards ranging up to $1,000 in the Bank of America's 1975 Acheivement Awards program.

The students and their study fields are: Sheryl Athenour, vocational arts; Karen Metz, liberal arts; Michael Anton Sernach, science and mathematics; Robert Vieira, fine arts.

In addition, 12 other seniors received certificates of merit for superior performance in specific study fields. They are: Diane Thrailkill, art; John Clark, drama; Richard Curry, music; Keith Seibert, english; Gail Anderson, foreign language; Suzanne Hulme, social studies; Charles Wright, lab science; Andy Finn, mathematics; Joe Martin, agriculture; Sharon Church, business; Lynn Barnhill, home economics; Hans Hansen, trades and industrial.

The four winning seniors who receive personally-engraved plaques will compete with winning seniors from neighboring high schools at a zone event in mid-March.

Judging at this event will be conducted by a panel of educators, and business and community leaders and will be based on written compositions, group discussions, scholarship, and civic and school activities. Winners then advance to the regional finals scheduled for May. Second and third place zone winners in each field receive $100 and $75 respectively.

'Pink Leprechauns' at Harvest Park

PLEASANTON — Harvest Park School's fourth annual musical production, "Three Pink Leprechauns," will be performed March 20 and 21 at the Amador Valley High School auditorium.

The operetta features the school's orchestra and choruses, and a jig "chorus line." Performances will start at 7:30 p.m. each night.

As in past years, there are two separate casts of performers, one for each night's performance. On Thursday night the role of Kathleen will be played by Heather Wilson, and on Friday the 21st, the same role will be played by Kathy Marshall.

Other roles will be played by Walter Magdefrau and David Richer, Brian; Natalie Partridge and Lisa Anderson, Granny; Ron Archer and Mike Rennels, Muke the father; John Pappas, Jeff Smutney and Rafe Lamb, Dennis, Danny and Johnny, the three leprechauns.

There are a great many other cast members as well, selected from a great many auditioners.

Set construction has been done by the sixth grade general music classes, under the supervision of Sandy Gilpatrick and Jackie Kerr, who are both eighth graders at the school. The student director of the production is Chris Heinbaugh, a student at Amador Valley High School.

Admission to the performances for both evenings will be $1.50 for adults, and 75 cents for children.

School lunch menu

LIVERMORE — On St. Patrick's Day, Livermore Unified School District students who pay the 45 cents for a hot lunch will be regaled with:

Leprechauns, shamrock salad, shillelaghs, Blarney stones and Irish milk.

March menus are:

March 3 - 7: Monday, hot dog, Tuesday, sloppy joe, Wednesday, hamburger, Thursday, submarines, Friday, cheese pizza.

March 10 - 14: Monday, spaghetti, Tuesday, chicken fried steak, Wednesday, hamburger, Thursday, tacos, Friday, fish sticks.

March 17 - 21: Monday, St. Patrick's Day, Tuesday, spaghetti, Wednesday, hamburger, Thursday, turkey and gravy, Friday, "First Day of Spring" toasted cheese sandwiches.

Spring vacation takes place the week of March 24 - 28, with school reopening the day after Easter.

Teachers announce retirement

LIVERMORE —Seventy - three years of experience in Livermore will be gone for good when four teachers retire in June.

Announcing their retirements are Mrs. Phyllis E. McMurtry, Mrs. Opal T. Roberts, Murray Day and Mrs. Helen Dorman.

The four have worked in Livermore a total of 73 years.

Mrs. McMurtry has been working for the district since 1955 and is an art teacher at Livermore High. Mrs. Roberts, a fifth grade teacher at Sonoma School, joined the district in 1953.

Day teaches eighth grade at Junction Intermediate School and joined the district in 1958.

Mrs. Dorman, a third grade teacher at Fifth Street School, was employed here in 1961.

Also retiring this June is David P. Wilson, head custodian at Jackson Avenue School, a district employe 10 years.

Announcing their resignations are Mrs. Linda Ingram, a playground supervisor at Smith School, and Mrs. Tina Winslow, a teacher aide in the physically handicapped program at Portola School. Their resignations were effective Feb. 28.

Newly employed personnel are: Mrs. Marjorie Hall, teacher aide at Sonoma School; Pedro Rodriguez, custodian for Smith and Sonoma Schools; Cathy Sinclair, clerk - typist, Portola School and district office; Mrs. Michele Thompson, teacher aide, Sonoma School; Mrs. Marilyn Wong, clerk - typist, Michell and Smith Schools; Mrs. Jane Boston, teacher aide for special education, Smith School; Gary Brittain, custodian, Marylin and Rincon Schools; Eric Egan, welfare and attendance aide, district office; Mrs. Jeanette Froeschner, teacher aide, special education program, Rincon School; and Mrs. Elizabeth Hankins, special education program, Junction Intermediate School.

Leaves of absence have been approved for Mrs. Barbara Biasotti, second grade teacher at Sonoma School, and Mrs. Patricia Jue, girls' physical education teacher at Mendenhall School, both for maternity leaves.

Requesting leaves are Mrs. Gloria Dirkmaat, fifth grade teacher at Rincon School, maternity leave from March 21 through the end of the school year; and Miss Margaret Kennedy, science teacher at Granada High, asking for a leave for educational improvement for the 1975 - 76 school year.

Court of Honor scheduled

An Eagle Court of Honor was held recently for Greg Pyper who received the highest rank in scouting, Eagle.

Presenting him with the award was his father, Bishop James W. Pyper. Greg is a member of Troop 919 which is sponsored by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Greg's brother, Mark, who received his Eagle Rank in 1974, administered the Eagle Charge.

As a member of Cub Pack 919, Greg received a special award for achieving all 15 Webelo projects.

In Troop 919, Greg has served as patrol leader, quartermaster, been on a 50 mile hike, is the Deacon's Quorum Presidency at the LDS Church and is the priesthood pianist.

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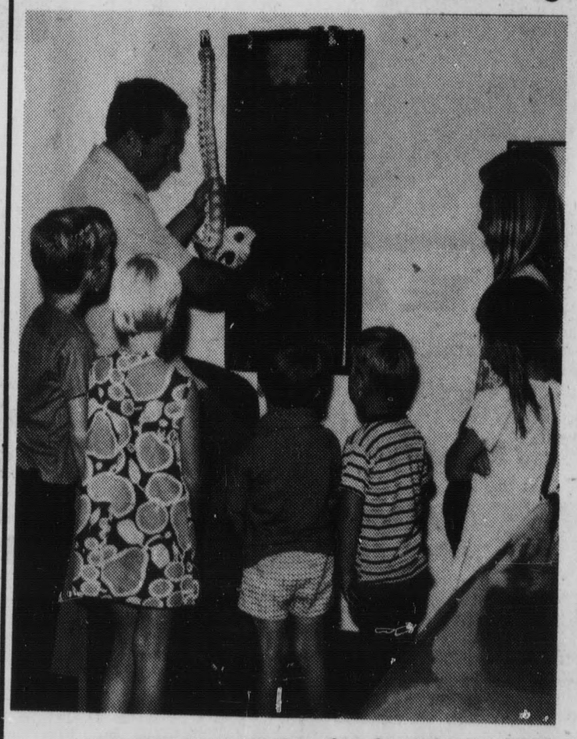

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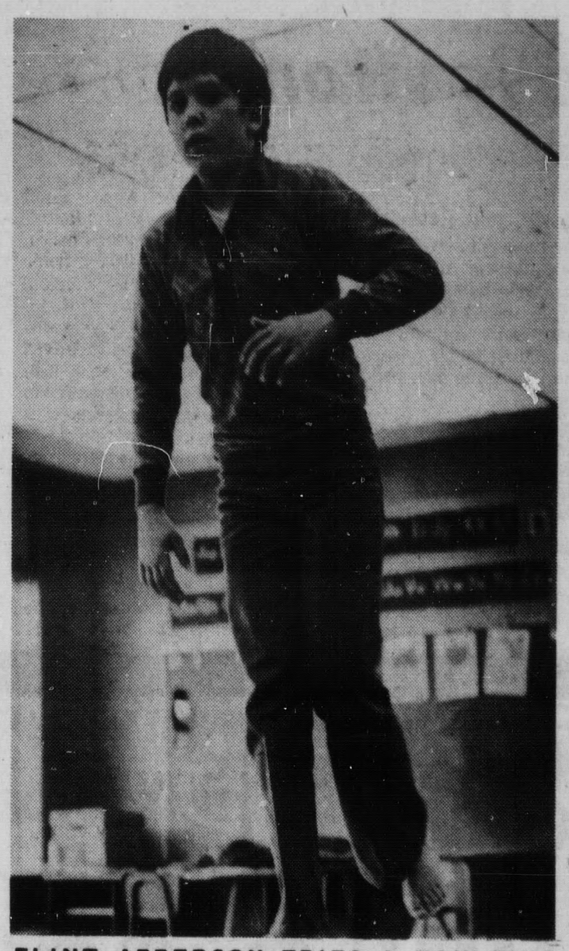
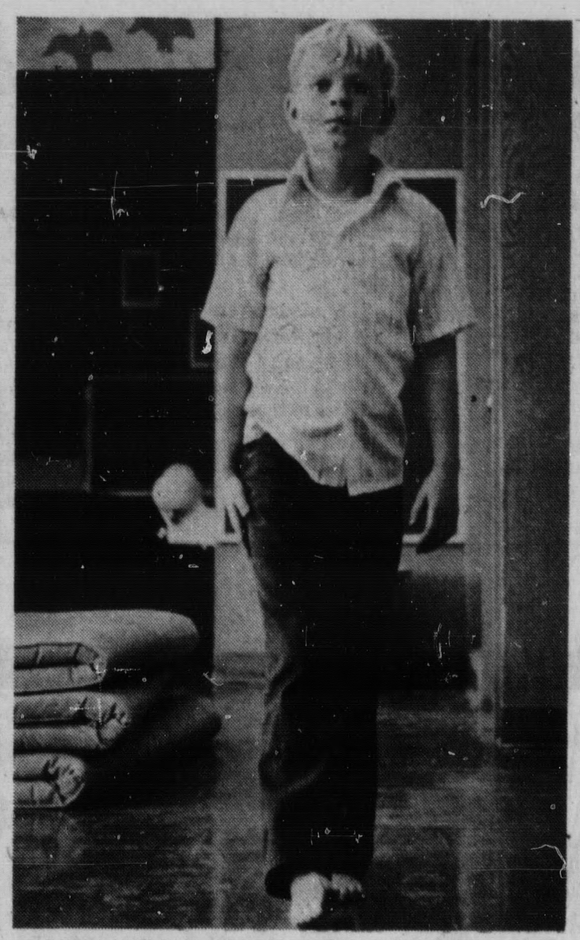


FLINT APPERSON TRIES A VAULTING ROUTINE



JASON KING MAINTAINS BALANCE ON BEAM

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'Stegel' helps physical, mental growth

What is composed of two sawhorses, three balance beams, a springboard-slide and horizontal ladder and can have beneficial effects on a child's physical and mental growth?

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The unwieldy set of gymnastic-like items are called a "Stegel." It is in fact an adaptive gymnastic device which enables students to perform creative skills according to their own capabilities and imagination.

The word is German in origin and means "stile, steps or little bridge.

Sonya Howes is custodian of the equipment at Valley View School in Pleasanton and works with classes to improve the motor development of each child. Ms. Howes says that while it is prescribed for the neurologically handicapped, it is also effective with children who might otherwise stand on the sidelines and watch their classmates.

Ms. Howes feels their is a definite tie-in between use of the Stegel and the child's abilities in reading and writing. She is convinced that regular use of the Stegel produces improved performance in these basic classroom exercises.

"It's a new physical education approach to improve coordination. It can be of immeasurable value to the shy or handicapped," states Ms. Howes, "but also serve as a challenge to the aggressive or physically mature student." Use of the Stegel is now directed to kindergarten through eighth grade.

The Stegel has been used at Alisal School in Pleasanton and Ms. Howes believes Fairlands may also have one.

"All the students at Valley View will have a chance to use the Stegel before the school year is out," adds Ms. Howes. Classes work with the equipment on the order of once a week.

The Stegel combines seven natural movements . . . crawling, balancing, hanging, climbing, swinging, jumping and vaulting.

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—By Al Fischer

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College set to come to Santa Rita center

Santa Rita Rehabilitation Center will soon be the site for a course of instruction for college credit and community college counseling.

The courses will be subsidized through a $250,000 grant from the federal government, plus 5 per cent matching funds from the county and state. Classes will be offered through Chabot College.

Additional counseling services are planned to be provided by Laney and Merritt Colleges through the Peralta Community College District in Oakland. The federal funding comes under the Crime Control Act of 1973.

Sheriff Tom Houchins says the continuation aspect of this program is of prime importance. Since the average stay at Santa Rita is less than six months, Houchins hopes to start prisoners in areas of study that can be completed after their release that will eventually lead to employment.

Counselors from the Chabot and Peralta districts will be on hand to give the inmates assistance and, after release, can aid the former prisoner in the transition from life at Santa Rita to life in college and the outside community. They can serve as a contact in the college after the inmate is released from prison, Houchins noted. He feels the continuation aspect and counseling offered could spur a man to keep on going to school after he gets out.

The newly-elected sheriff estimates that, eventually, up to 375 of the 1,100 prisoners at Santa Rita will be enrolled in the courses offered by Chabot and taught on the Rehabilitation Center grounds. Initial instruction is planned to start March 17. The classes will be of both vocational and traditional academic nature. They will be supplemented by basic adult education classes for inmates who need additional preparation prior to receiving college level instructions.

Classroom space has been expanded from five to eight. Chabot Dean of Instruction Richard Yeo, along with Don Milanese and Fred Sims, have worked closely with Houchins' staff in developing curriculum and instruction for the courses.

Howard "Bud" Garrigan, a Pleasanton resident and chief of detention and corrections at Santa Rita, will be the project director and responsible for overall direction of the new project. Grant author and project coordinator will be Mason C. Layman, supervising corrections services officer.

Another wild chase in valley

LIVERMORE — A 24-year-old Livermore resident led police on a merry, 70-plus-mph chase through the city's Granada district Saturday morning after he was stopped for a minor traffic infraction.

Mark O. Thompson, 851 Chippewa Way, was pulled to a stop at Holmes Street and Elaine Avenue by patrolman Larry Medders at 11 a.m., but when Medders returned to his patrol car to check the suspect's identity, Thompson allegedly sped away.

Red light flashing and siren wailing, Medders took up the two-mile chase, running behind Thompson through several stop signs while Thompson often drove on the wrong side of the street, according to the report, finally stopping him at Escondito and Avenida De Las Palmas.

Thompson was arrested and charged with reckless driving and resisting arrest, and is scheduled to appear in Livermore Municipal Court Mar. 12.

A witness claims he saw Thompson's green, 1971 Ford turn onto The Avenida from El Caminito driving, "extremely fast with the tires squealing.

"There were lots of children playing in the street that could have been injured," the witness said, adding "When (the children) heard the siren they all ran to the curb."

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Business man claims U.S. economy structure is strong

By JOHN CUNNIFF

NEW YORK (AP) The low spirits of the consumer can be raised, perhaps in a surprisingly short time, if people are convinced the government is making the proper economic moves.

This is the opinion of Lloyd S. Bowles, president of the U.S. League of Savings Associations, which speaks for most of the savings and loan industry, the nation's principal supplier of home mortgages.

Bowles, who also is chairman of the Dallas Federal Savings and Loan Association, was asked for his view of the underlying strengths of the economy during this period of distress, a period during which the thrift industry was especially hard hit by depletion of its savings accounts.

In his statement, Bowles sought to dispel what he believes is a widely held notion that the country is "faced by an immiment and overwhelming disaster." The American economy, he said, is much too strong for this to occur.

"The truthis," he said, "that the economy is not going to collapse in the next 30, 60 or 90 days, or at any time in the foreseeable future. The American people are a hardy, vigorous and disciplined people able to meet and overcome adversity in any form."

The two keys to the solution of the economic malaise, said Bowles, are: "Recognition of the basic strengths which underpin the economy, and confidence of the people that their leaders have correctly perceived the causes and are moving to eliminate them."

The strengths, he said, were obvious: the best educational system, vast resources, the world's highest industrial capacity,the highest standard of living, and a still responsive economic system.

"The structure of our economic system gives it the ability to adjust output to the desires and needs of the average consumer. This is our country's basic strength," he said.

The problem of the economic system in the 1970s, he continued, has not been the system itself, "but a lack of direction and understanding about the nature of the crisis we face."

The misunderstanding is best illustrated, he said, by the continuing debate about which is the worse problem - inflation or recession.

"This debate is astonishing and distressing in light of the fact that every American family knows that inflation is responsible for our current recession," he said.

"Even the most casual study of the Consumer Price Index makes it clear American families are spending an ever increasing percentage of their incomes for food to feed their families, for gasoline and other energy to heat and light homes.

"As a consequence, there is less discretionary spending for new automobiles, housing or appliances. This decline in the ability to buy so-called hard goods is at the heart of our present inflationary recession."

Bowles was critical of business and government leaders who fail to discern the interrelationship between inflation and recession, "and their refusal to give equal attention to both problems."

This, he said, "is one principal reason the American people are confused and demoralized, and why their confidence in the future of the economy is at a low ebb."

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March programs are scheduled at Tilden Park center

Bees, frogs, salamanders and snakes, not to mention quilting and campfire cooking will all be discussed in program presentations at the Tilden Park Environmental Education Center during weekends in March.

In addition, every Saturday from 11 to 11:45, there will be solar energy demonstrations, Chris Nelson, Chief of the East Bay Regional Park District's Parks and Interpretation Department, said.

This is the program rundown for the entire month:

Saturday, March 1 — Golden Gate National Recreation Area Planners will discuss uses for the buildings at historic Fort Mason from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; there will be a "Beginning Birding Nature Walk" led by Senior Naturalist Josh Barkin from 10 a.m. to noon.

Sunday, March 2 — "Frog and Salamander Discovery Walk" with Naturalist Tim Gordon, noon to 1:30 p.m.; "Wind Walk" from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. where you will "prowl the high ridges and see effects of wind on plants and animals." Gordon will lead this walk also.

Saturday, March 8 — Walk with Naturalist Paula Carrell entitled "An Eye for the Little Things," noon to 1:30 p.m.; Make - a - Mobile Nature Walk, 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. with Paula Carrell.

Sunday, March 9 — "Explore Wildcat Canyon," a day - long nature walk led by Naturalist Tim Gordon. Hikers will become familiar with various park trails, streams, ponds, plants, animals and soils.

Saturday, March 15 — "Fireside Campfire Cooking" taught by Naturalist Paula Carrell; "Edible Plants Nature Walk," 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. with Paula Carrell.

Sunday, March 16 — "So You've Got a Bee Swarm. Now What?" a lecture on beginning bee keeping with Guest Lecturer William Moran. In the afternoon, between 2:30 and 4:30 p.m. Moran and Naturalist Tim Gordon will lead hikers on a "Visit to a Bee Tree."

Saturday, March 22 — Quilting Demonstration from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. with Naturalist Paula Carrell and Guest Lecturer Lucille Hilty. Applique and nine - patch techniques will be shown. Those attending should bring scraps of material. From 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Naturalist Paula Carrell will conduct a walk in which dye plants will be sought to "try out over an open fire." There will be a demonstration.

Sunday, March 23 — "Recreational Lakes the Their Problems" discussed by EBRPD Administrative Assistant Jim Grassi. He will show slides. Between 2:30 and 4:30 p.m. Naturalist Tim Gordon will lead a "Jewel Lake Walk" and discuss its history and problems.

Saturday, March 29 — "Spring Walk" from noon to 1:30 p.m. with Naturalist Paula Carrell; between 2:30 and 4:30 p.m. she will conduct a Spring Wild Flower Walk.

Sunday, March 30 — Guest Lecturer Molly Jones will discuss "Basic Urban Food Production with the Olkowski System." Bring an empty milk carton, start a garden. Helga and Bill Olkowski are pathologists and entomologists who have developed a system for "producing food in an economical and healthy way" without the use of pesticides Nelson said. From 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. there will be a "Soils and Humus Walk" led by Naturalist Tim Gordon.

In addition, on every Saturday, the puppet show, "A Lot Was at Stake One Day at Jewel Lake" will be presented from 1:45 to 2:30 p.m. and there will be a talk on "Snakes" at 4 p.m. On Sundays the puppet show, "Lester Litterbug," will be shown from 1:45 to 2:15 p.m. and there will be talks on "Snakes" and "Insects" at 11 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. respectively. Guest Lecturer Alan Kaplan will discourse on insects.

For many years diphtheria was the most dreaded of all diseases. It is less feared today because doctors have means to treat or prevent it.

Mobile x-ray unit to stop in Pleasant Hill

The Contra Costa County Health Department mobile X - ray unit will be located at the public library, 1750 Oak Park Blvd., Pleasant Hill, next Wednesday, March 12, from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 4 p.m.

As part of its tuberculosis control program, the County Health Department provides free chest X - rays to all persons 15 years of age and over.

For further information about the mobile X - ray unit, call the health department in Pleasant Hill, telephone 937-4100, ext. 201.

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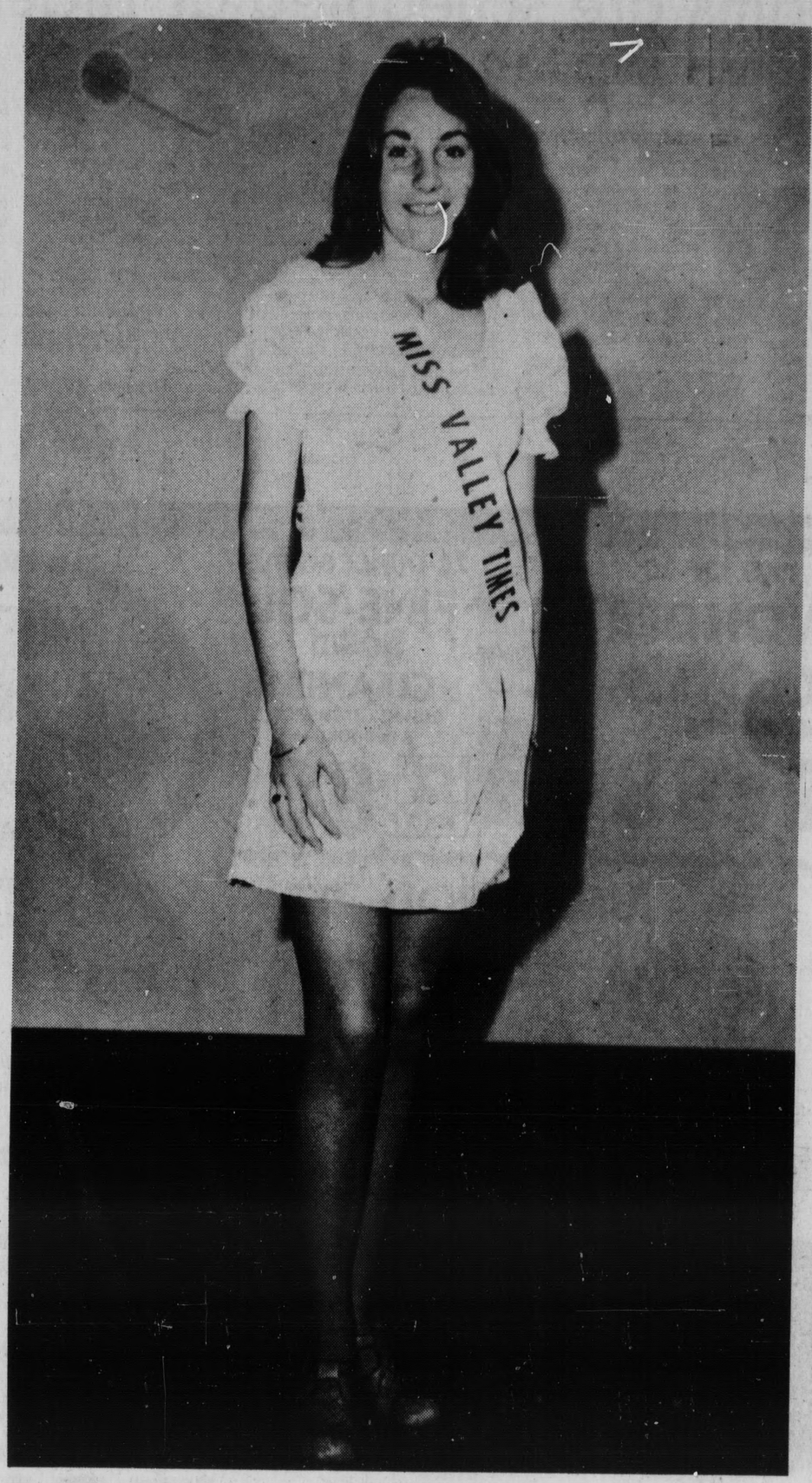
PAM BENTLEY
Twenty-years-old and employed locally in photo sales, the brown-eyed blonde likes bicycle-riding and swimming.

KIM BLAIR
Journalism rates a plus with this 16-year-old Monte Vista High School student. She is a brown-eyed brunette.



LISA HENDRICKS
'Our girl,' Miss Valley Times, is a 17-year-old green-eyed beauty from San Ramon School. Her hobbies are Old English lettering and rock painting.

DEB DION
The hazel-eyed blonde is 17 and attends Dublin High School and advanced placement at Chabot College.

LOUISE HODGES
The English-born San Ramon High School student, is 17-years-old, and an art and swimming enthusiast. She is a blue-eyed brunette.

RICA LAUPER
Blonde and blue-eyed, the senior at California High School teaches piano. She is 17 years old.

Valley's fairest lassies vie for 'Maid of Dublin' honor

Twelve prospective Maids of Dublin debuted Saturday afternoon at a Beta Sigma Phi "Contestants Tea" as prelude to the 11th annual Dublin Spring Festival.

The contestants, each receiving a silver charm bracelet with green shamrock charm from the Dublin Chamber of Commerce, will be judged at the Friday, Mar. 21, Coronation Ball at Castlewood Country Club.

The judges, who've yet to be announced, will weigh each girl's figure, face, poise and personality when choosing a winner at this year's ball.

KNBR's infamous Mike Cleary will emcee the fete, afterwhich the Maid will reign in Dublin, overseeing pageants and local events.

Local businesses and publications are sponsoring the contestants, and Saturday's tea saw the matching of contestant to sponsor.

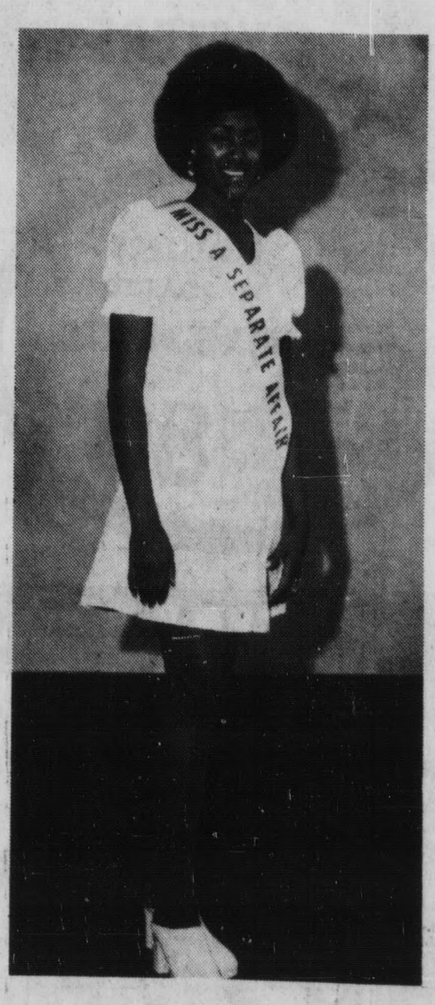
DEBBIE MOON
This blue-eyed blonde enjoys her business and modern dance classes at San Ramon High School. She is 17-years-old.

SHARLA MORGAN
The San Ramon High School student sports red hair and green-eyes, and enjoys all sports, plus sewing and cooking. She is 17-years-old.

LORI PEILSTICK
Math and science are the favorite subjects of this senior at San Ramon High School. She is 18-years-old, dark-haired and brown-eyed.

SHARON STEWART
Born in Scotland, the blonde, blue-eyed 18-year-old is locally employed and enjoys reading, ice-skating and singing.

BRENDA SYLVA
Water-skiing, boating and sewing are tops with the 16-year-old dark-eyed brunette. She attends Dublin High School.



MONICA WILLIAMS
The 17-year-old Dublin High School student is formally-trained in Afro-jazz and modern dance.

TELEVISION LISTINGS

Tues., Mar. 4

8:00 A.M.
5-10—Capt. Kangaroo
7-13—A.M. America
40—Speed Racer

8:30 A.M.
2—Romper Room
40—Munsters

9:00 A.M.
2—Joker's Wild
3-4—Celebrity Sweepstakes
5—Kathryn Crosby
9—Sesame Street
10—At Nine on Ten
13—Morning Scene
40—Jack LaLanne

9:30 A.M.
2—Donna Reed
3-4—Wheel of Fortune
5-10—Gambit
40—Movies

10:00 A.M.
2—Movies
3-4—High Rollers
5-10—Now You See It
9—Electric Company
13—Hazel

10:30 A.M.
3-4—Hollywood Squares
5-10—Love of Life
7—Brady Bunch
13—Jeannie

11:00 A.M.
3-4—Jackpot!
5-10—Young and the Restless
7-13—Money Maze
36—Public Affairs
44—Not For Women Only

11:30 A.M.
3-4—Blank Check
5-10—Search for Tomorrow
7-13—Big Showdown
36—Yoga
40—Barbara Walters' Show
44—Newstalk

12:00 NOON
2—Big Valley
3-4-5-10—News
7-13—Password
9—Yoga with Lilias
36—Movies
40—Flintstones
44—Zoo Revue

12:30 P.M.
3-4—Days of Our Lives
5-10—As the World Turns
7-13—Split Second
9—Washington Week
40—Green Acres
44—Zoo Revue

1:00 P.M.
2—Movies
3-4—Doctors
5-10—Guiding Light
7-13—All My Children
40—Movies
44—Gomer Pyle

1:30 P.M.
3-4—Another World
5-10—Edge of Night
7-13—Let's Make a Dal
44—Beverly Hillbillies

2:00 P.M.
5-10—Price Is Right
7-13—$10,000 Pyramid
36—Mike Douglas

2:30 P.M.
3—Lucy
4—Somerset
5-10—Match Game
7-13—One Life to Live
44—Yogi Bear

3:00 P.M.
2—Porky & Friends
3—Bewitched
4—How to Survive a Marriage
5—What's My Line?
7-13—General Hospital
10—Dinah!
40—Cap'n Mitch
44—Banana Splits

3:30 P.M.
2—Gilligan's Island
3—Movies
4—Dick Van Dyke
5—Concentration
7—Movies
13—Merv Griffin
36—Millionaire
40—Mickey Mouse Club
44—Popeye

4:00 P.M.
2—Mickey Mouse Club
4—Merv Griffin
5-10—Mike Douglas
7—Wed. Movie: "Santiago's America"
9—Sesame Street
36—Movies
40-44—Flintstones

4:30 P.M.
2—Jeannie
13—Raymond Burr
40—Partridge Family

5:00 P.M.
2—Bonanza
7—News
9—Misterogers
40—Mod Squad
44—Three Stooges

5:30 P.M.
3-4-10-13—News
5—Dealer's Choice
9—Villa Alegre
44—Little Rascals

6:00 P.M.
2—Love, American Style
3-4-5-7-10-13—News
9—Electric Company
36—Movie: "This Land Is Mine"
40—Star Trek
44—Wild, Wild West

6:30 P.M.
2—Bewitched
9—French Love Songs
13—Let's Make A Deal

7:00 P.M.
2-40—FBI
4-13—Truth or Consequences
5-7-9—News
10—Concentration
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
3—Seven Thirty
4—Circus
5-10—Price Is Right
7—Hollywood Squares
13—To Tell the Truth

8:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "A Rage to Live"
3-4—Adam - 12
5-10—Good Times
7-13—Happy Days
9—America
36—Millionaire
40—Movie: "The Brotherhood"
44—Best of Groucho

8:30 P.M.
3-4—Movie: "The Last Survivors"
5-10—M*A*S*H
7-13—Movie: "Trilogy of Terror"
9—Ascent of Man
36—Merv Griffin
44—Dinah!

9:00 P.M.
5-10—Special: People's Choice Awards

9:30 P.M.
9—Assignment America

10:00 P.M.
2-40—News
3-4—Police Story
7-13—Marcus Welby, M.D.
9—Interface
36—Movie: "Second Chorus"
44—Avengers

10:30 P.M.
9—Open Studio
40—Dealer's Choice

11:00 P.M.
2—Bilko
3-4-5-7-9-10-13—News
40—Love, American Style
44—Best of Groucho

11:30 P.M.
2—Untouchables
3-4—Johnny Carson
5-10—Banacek
7—Movie Mystery: "Nick and Nora"
13—It Takes A Thief
36—Movie: "Wicked Wife"
40—Love, American Style
44—Movie: "The Oklahoma Kid"

12:00 MIDNIGHT
36-40—Movies All Night

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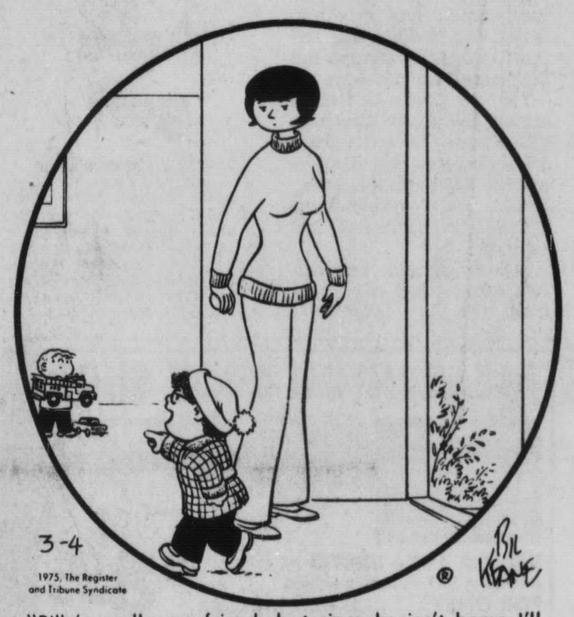

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39 Summers (Fr.)
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42 Knight's protection
45 Manago
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52 Unemployed
53 False god
54 Exclamation of surprise
55 Act
56 Pare
57 Male child

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4 Small communities
5 Hideous monster
6 Rented
7 Low haunt
8 Anatomical tissues
9 Always
10 Norse goddess of destiny
11 Hardy heroine
17 Masculine appellation
19 Improve
23 Bamboolike grasses
24 Whale
25 Greedy
26 Caucasian
27 Handel's forte
28 Engage for service
29 Bulk
31 Office holding
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50 Tear

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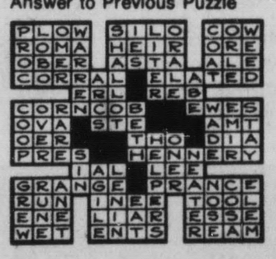

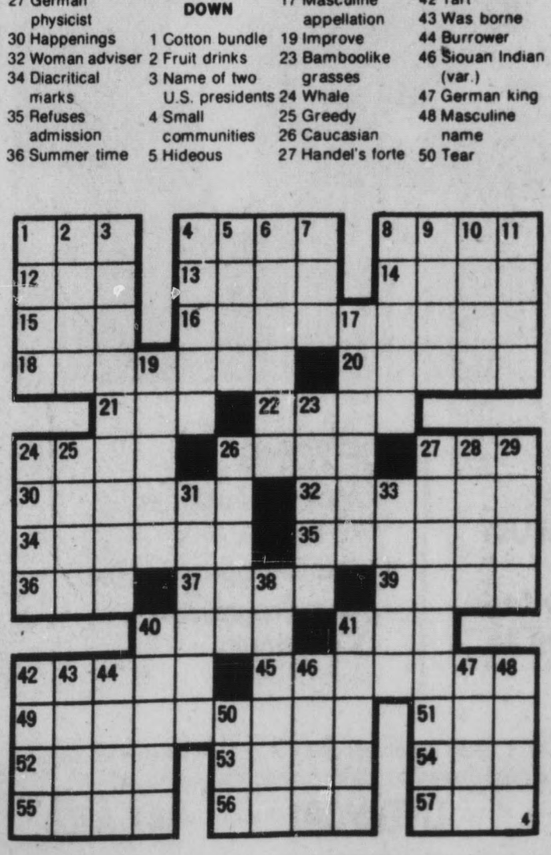

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For Tuesday, March 4, 1975

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Negative vibrations you're picking up from a situation you're involved in can be disregarded. It will work out better than you think.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) In your business dealings today don't take the first offer. If you negotiate a bit you'll come out with better terms.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) A misunderstanding will arise with one with whom you share interest, unless it's clearly spelled out what's expected of each.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Don't tackle chores that are beyond your expertise. Bring in a professional — it will cost you less in the long run.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) One you know socially may be coming to you with a business proposition. Scrutinize it very carefully before jumping in.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A matter that's been troubling you lately will shortly be partially cleared up. What remains can be dealt with later.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your early ideas aren't your best ones. You're not apt to grasp the big picture the first time around. You will, when you think twice.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You're still a bit too impulsive when it comes to buying things to satisfy your whims. Shop around. You'll save.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You're likely to find yourself in an awkward spot today. Keep your cool. You'll come up with ways to extricate yourself easily.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you expect too much from others now you'll be disappointed, but if your requests are reasonable they'll be complied with.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) It's ok to be generous with a friend, but don't let your generosity exceed your common sense. Be kind, but also be practical.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You take things for granted early in the day. Not much will be accomplished. Later, when you settle down, goals are attained.

your birthday

March 4, 1975

This year you'll not be content to be numbered among the herd. Your ambitions will take you to new heights. Material prospects will brighten considerably.

WIN AT BRIDGE

Percentage play has the edge

	NORTH 4 ♠ A Q 5 4 ♥ 10 8 5 3 ♦ A 9 3 ♣ 7 2	
WEST ♠ K 9 7 3 ♥ K 2 ♦ Q J 10 2 ♣ 10 8 4		EAST ♠ J 10 8 6 ♥ 7 ♦ K 7 5 ♣ A 9 6 5 3
	SOUTH (D) ♠ 2 ♥ A Q J 9 6 4 ♦ 8 6 4 ♣ K Q J	

East-West vulnerable

West	North	East	South
			1 ♥
Pass	1 ♠	Pass	2 ♥
Pass	4 ♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead — Q ♦

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Four hearts is a mighty fine contract. Against any opening lead but a diamond, it is practically a lay down. But as is so frequently the case, West is unkind enough to lead the queen of diamonds.

You decide to duck the first diamond on general principles. Sometimes your opponents shift, but West continues with the jack and you are in dummy with the ace.

You toy with the idea of leading a club. If the man with the ace of clubs started with just two diamonds, you will be able to discard dummy's last diamond on your third club. But you abandon this idea because you have decided that diamonds are going to break 4-3.

So you lead the 10 of trumps from dummy. East follows low.

Should you take the trump finesse now? If it works you are home; if it loses you are going to be one down.

If you refuse the trump finesse and go up with the ace you may drop the singleton king from West. If you don't you can try the spade finesse. If that loses, you will be two down but the combination play is still worth while.

The reason is that you have a 13 per cent chance to drop that singleton king, which is just too much extra percentage to be wasted.

♥♣CARD Sense♠♦

The bidding has been: 4

West	North	East	South
Pass	2 ♣	Pass	1 ♣

You, South, hold:
♠ K J 9 4 ♥ A Q 2 ♦ J 4 3 ♣ K 10 5
What do you do now?

A — Pass. You have a minimum hand and your partner has made a minimum response. Don't panic because you only have three clubs.

TODAY'S QUESTION
Instead of bidding two clubs your partner has jumped to three clubs. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

Send $1 for JACOBY MODERN book to: "Win at Bridge," (c/o this newspaper), P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. 10019.

CAMPUS CLATTER

I WONDER IF STREAKING WILL BE "IN" THIS SPRING, PRESIDENT BLOOMER
IT WAS RIGHT OUT THERE, JUST A YEAR AGO TONIGHT, THAT WE HAD OUR FIRST STREAKERS
DISGUSTING!
3-4

PRISCILLA'S POP

OH, PRISCILLA, I'M SO ASHAMED !!
I CARELESSLY CROSSED THE STREET AGAINST THE LIGHT!
THE OFFICER BLEW HIS WHISTLE.
AND SCOLDED ME IN FRONT OF EVERYBODY!
CHEER UP HOLLYHOCK.
AT LEAST YOU'RE OUT ON PAROLE!
3-4

SHORT RIBS

THERE'S SO MUCH UNREST AND HATE IN THE KINGDOM THESE DAYS.
IT MUST BE DUE TO ALL THE UNEMPLOYMENT.
IT'S ALL THE KING'S FAULT.
HE WON'T ALLOW THE PEOPLE TO BUY MY LOVE POTION WITH FOOD STAMPS!
3-4

FRANK AND ERNEST

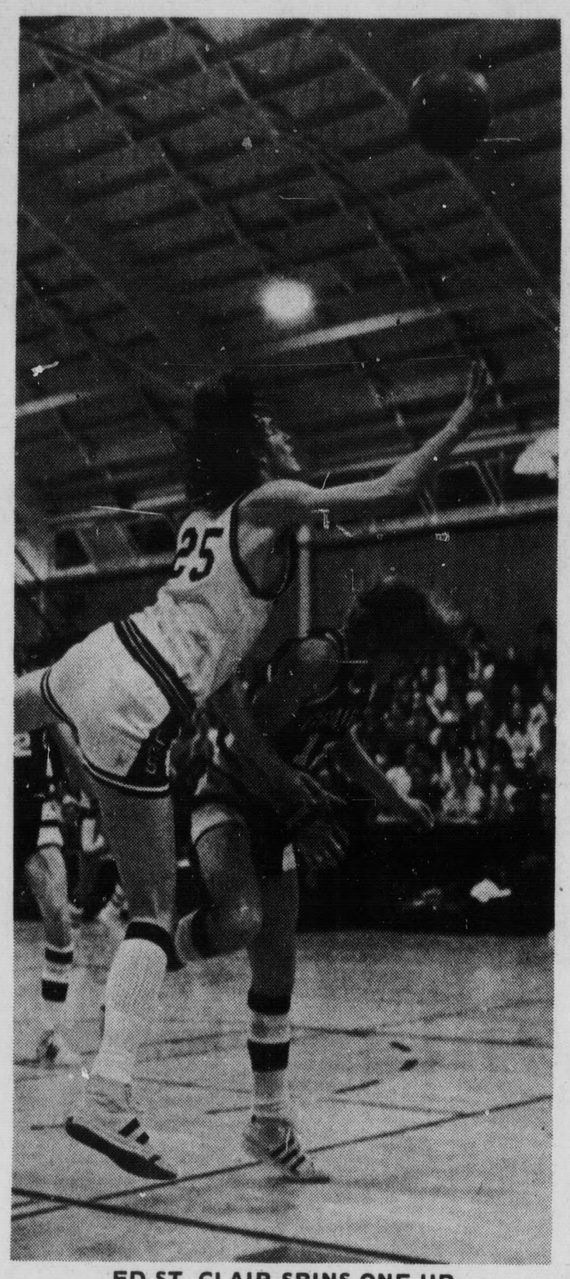
CARNIVAL by Dick Turner

"Which one of us does he take after? The one he thinks he can touch for spending money!"

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"Couldn't I just give up three snacks between meals, four or five nibbles between snacks and maybe add a snackette or two?"

Ed's hoop with :02 left wins for Pokes



ED ST. CLAIR SPINS ONE UP
Livermore forward was tourney MVP

It was a fitting way for Ed St. Clair to end an illustrious career.

The 6-5 Livermore High senior swished a five-foot baseline jumper with two seconds showing on the clock to enable a hungry Cowboy basketball squad to post a razo-thin 61-60 win over Oakland High.

The win enabled the Pokes to captured the Livermore-Granada City Classic Saturday night in their own gym.

It was St. Clair's last time in a Livermore uniform and the shooting marvel chalked up 27 points to give him 99 for the three-day tourney. That eclipses Corey Knapp's 94 points, scored in last year's initial tournament.

St. Clair broke another Corey Knapp record when he banged home 45 points in the Pokes' first round win over Acalanes. Knapp's one game mark was 41 in last year's championship game against McClymonds.

To the surprise of no one St. Clair was chosen the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

Junior guard Ted Wood , an All-Tournament selection, played a vital role in the Pokes' win over the heavily favored Wildcats.

Wood tallied 10 points, but more important, consistently spotted the open man to set up easy buckets.

Curt Groth played one of the best games of his career, as he was good for 14 points.

Growth was assigned the arduous task of guarding Oakland's 6-8 center Carlton Pierce. Pierce did score 15 points but was stymied by Groth on the boards.

The Widcats placed three players on the all-tournament team. Pierce, 6-7 junior forward Reggie Logan who popped home 23 points and another 6-7 giant, Kevin Singleton represented the Oakland Athletic League's third place squad.

Granada High's 6-7 pivot Lee Brennan and guard Scott Campbell, both juniors were selected to the all-tourney squad.

Rounding out the dream team were San Ramon's Joe Fisher, McClymonds' Martin Govain, St. Joseph's Torr. Kidwell and Terry O'Neil of Acalanes.

A first-time award, going to the fans who exhibited the best spirit throughout the tournament, went to Granada High.

With all the talk of how superb play is in the OAL, the East Bay Athletic League changed some old attitudes.

During the VFW tourney Oakland defeated winless San Ramon and Granada before losing to the Cowboys.

McClymonds, another OAL school and defending champs lost to both Livermore in the semi-finals and Granada in the third place game.

These games coupled with Amador High's pair of wins over Castlemont and Fremont earlier in the year and a loss to OAL champ Oakland Tech brings the EBAL's record to 5-3 over the tough OAL schools.

Warriors split with Martinez

The Tri-Valley Warriors, resting in second place for the first time all season, split a pair of games with the cellar-dwelling Martinez Muirs over the weekend.

Saturday, the locals fell to Martinez, 128-108, in the Alhambra High School gym.

The Muirs displayed fantastic shooting in that contest as Dave Lee, the usually high scoring veteran forward, canned 34 points, while Charlie Lowery netted 24 and Bob Presley 19.

Johnny Burks led Tri-Valley's somewhat meager offense with 18 points.

Presley, the 6-11 center from Cal, swept the boards clean 19 times over the course of the evening .

Tri-Valley won Sunday's Alameda County Fairgrounds affair 134-125 as Burks, coach of St. Elizabeth's High during the week, rippled the cords for 38 points.

Martinez was hampered by injuries in the Warrior win as Dave Lee and Harry "The Bear" Brown both sat out with pulled musles.

Presley added to the Muir casualty list when he turned an ankle early in the fourth quarter.

Before Stretch became incapacitated, the Muirs were down by just four but Burks began to hit with awesome consistency as the Warriors put the visitors away.

In other Western Basketball Association action, San Jose downed the Sacramento Prospectors 122-112 to draw into a game-behind tie with the Warriors for the runner-up spot.

WBA STANDINGS

	W	L	PCT	GB
Stockton	15	9	.602	—
Tri-Valley	13	9	.591	1
Sacramento	14	10	.581	1
San Jose	12	12	.500	3
Martinez	7	17	.291	8

SUNDAY'S GAMES
Tri-Valley 134, Martinez 125
San Jose 122, Sacramento 112

BIG WINNERS

EL PASO, Tex. (AP) — The Unversity of Texas-El Paso has won the past four Sun Bowl basketball tournaments. The Miners have won 11 of the 14 tournaments which include four teams.

Times Sports

MIKE ZAMPA, editor

Dons rated 6th

Amador Valley High took a tumble to sixth place in the East Bay cage rankings this morning, following back-to-back losses in the North Coast Championship.

The Dons, however, have one chance left to make up ground on the area's top teams. They open play in the Tournament of Champions Thursday at the Oakland Coliseum, facing Redwood of Larkspur.

The Giants defeated the Dons, 41-39 in the NCS third place game Saturday night at Cal State Hayward. A last -second steal and lay-in by Mark Kilmer won it for Redwood.

That followed Amador's loss to Bishop O'Dowd Friday night in Dublin.

It was the first time in three seasons the team has lost two contests in a row.

EAST BAY CAGE POLL
The top 15, with records, first - place votes in parentheses, total points, and placing last week:

1—Tech (5)	17-5	103	2
2—Fremont	17-5	93	3
3—O'Dowd (1)	32-4	91	1
4—El Cerrito(1)	22-9	90	10
5—Castlemont	15-8	71	7
6—Amador	19-6	67	4
7—Berkeley	22-8	63	8
8—College Park	21-4	56	9
9—Oakland	20-6	55	5
10—Albany	19-7	36	11
11—tie, Hayward	18-12	27	12
McClymonds	16-10	27	6
13—Pittsburg	16-7	16	14
14—Livermore	18-7	14	hm
15—tie, P.H.	17-6	8	hm
Cas.Val.	23-6	8	hm
Granada	16-8	8	hm

HONORABLE MENTION — Campolindo 20-8; Del Valle 16-10; Dublin 13-9; De Anza; Arroyo 20-7; Moreau 19-9; St. Mary's; Emery 22-1.

Suns batter Ram goal, win

The Livermore Suns launched 25 shots at the Dublin Ram net, and came away with a 5-1 victory in Al Caffodio soccer last weekend.

Phil Vela scored twice for the Suns. Steve D'Ambra, Steve Strout and Paul LaFaranchi had other goals.

Ballistic United dropped the Hurricanes, 3-2, despite goals by Mark Robison and Robert Jamieson of the Hurricanes. John Walden and Jimmie Gadd combined for 14 saves, but the Cyclones fell to Dublin's Colts, 4-1. David Rashe had the only goal.

The Typhoons crushed the Apollo Minutemen, 10-2, as Pat Kerrigan scored five times. Bruce Monreal, Steve Richards, and John King had single goals. Jeff Gil scored twice. Mike McCreary had eight saves.

The Tornadoes lost a 3-2 decision to the San Ramon Crusaders, when SR goalie Randy Smith came up with 20 saves. Karl Grutzeck and Jeff Otto had goals. Livermore's Bill Doughterty also hd 20 saves.

The St. Michael's Ravens blasted the Atomic Dynamos, 6-2 on three Cid Martin goals. James Daley, Frank Bamford and Ric Hendricks also scored. Brad Martin, Tom Cowden and Mark White anchored the defense.

Robert Cuachell scored twice, Jay Baptista had nine saves, and the St. Michael's Roadrunners defeated the Eagles, 2-1. Greg Brown had the Eagle goal. Scotty Bolf had six saves.

Doug Hiles' eight saves earned the Royal Warlords a 0-0 tie with the Independent Sharks. Rich Pieczynski played well.

Nine saves by Paul Windergren helped the Atomic Pions blank the Nucleons, 5-0. Danny Mickleberg, John Korthius, Bob Hunter, Greg Ozawa and Jeff Azavedo scored

The Atomic Lambdas rode two Shaun Banks goals to a 2-1 win over the Atomic Electrons. Darren Dickman, Mark Lovato and Ronnie Nevin anchored the defense.

Goals by Harold Harmon, Greg Mellor, Mike Nutter and Jeff Schafer vaulted the Leptons past the Roughriders, 4-0. Mark Long, Kelly Brown and Paul Marty played well.

Area golf

Sunol Valley Women's Club
Best Ball Foursome
Barbara Bartlett, Sally Thornton, Sally Kimura, Jan Merriott, 60; Marge Russell, Arlene Webb, Corrie Ivaldi, Eatta Beall, 60; Betty Christensen, Courtnae Magee, Juanita Connelly, Ree Howell, 62; Clara Moro, Esther Mendes, Martha Baird, Mary Vigil, 63

Craig saves Gophers' 3-2 triumph

The Ballistic Gophers leaned on goal keeper Craig McKinley for eight saves in a 3-2 win over the Greyhounds last weekend in Pleasanton soccer.

Fred Biletnikoff, Scott Hylton and Bill Walters scored goals. John Deusterhaus and Paul Chenkovitch scored for the losers.

The Gorillas and Gators fought to a 0-0 tie, thanks to good defense by Nicky Pearson, Chris Wayne, Matt Bowe, Gordon Lang, Rusty Witt and Mike Healy.

Tony Luppino's two scores, and one by Mark Silva shot the Giants to a 3-1 decision over the Hurricanes. Craig Schiendienst had five saves for the winners. Hurricane goalies Shawn Cobb and Keith Fruzzetti had 18 saves. Mark Claypool scored.

The Hot Rods crushed the Jets, 8-1, with Bill Moakley, Colin Spence and Allen Larson all scoring a pair of goals. Tim Rubin and Jim Mahern also scored. Jack Murphy had the Jet goal. Peter Kelso and John Leary played fine defense.

The Hornets blanked the Mavericks, 7-0. Paul Olsofsky and Scott Krichbaum scored two goals apiece. Greg Johnson, Kevin Ryan and Bobby Lembke had single goals. Doug Ryan played good defense.

Good defense by Dave Kellberg powered the Huskies to a 2-1 decision over the Hustlers. Jay Rosset and Scott Jenson scored. Todd Whaley had the Hustler goal, and Andy Brandlinger had seven saves.

Rich Vallejo saved the Huskies' 1-0 win over the Hornets with 10 saves. Joe Zehnder had the goal. Scott Dahl, Tim Archer and Dave Icellberg played fine defense.

Paul Romero's goal lifted the Monarchs past the Mercurys, 1-0.

Gary Nicolson had six saves in the Jaguars' 2-1 win over the Hawks. Steve Watson and Mike Cheney scored. Craig Younger tallied for the Hawks.

Stuart Maestes scored all three goals as the Javlins edged the Marlins, 3-2. Tony Guiles and Ken Perry had Marlin goals. Steve Greene registered six saves.

Juggler defenders Jim Griffith and Robert Necochea were the keys in a 3-0 whitewash of the Muskrats. Greg Woelffer, David Seim and Eric Winding had goals. Butch Holmes and Rob Silva played well for the losers.

The Musketeers blanked the Matadors, 3-0, on goals by Rick Fisher (two) and Mark Kragen. Bob Fisher, Darrick Tatum and Raymond Lopez anchored the defense.

Fine defense by Michael Despotakis, Bobby Libby and Barry Heinbaugh powered the Jackels to a 1-0 win over the Jockeys. David Wake had the goal.

The Missles measured the Muskrats, 2-1, on goals by Steve Carter and Gary Holmes. David Howells had the Muskrat score. Brian Maready had seven saves.

Ricky Goodner had both goals in the Jackels' 2-0 win against the Matadors. Mark Harris and Mark Sanfellipo played good defense.

Under-12

Scott Mangus had five saves, and Tim Cohen scored as the Pythons trimmed the Pirates, 1-0. Tom Northam had eight saves for the losers. Doug Morettini, Kip Blewitt and Neil Wendell played tight defense.

The Phantoms blanked the Panthers, 3-1, with Paul Stoker, Shawn Stewart and Bill Demian scoring. Chris Lopez had the Panther goal. Dodd Stange, Graham Cocksadge and Doug Duke were top defenders.

Brian Wright scored twice, John Delaney, once, and the Rangers blanked the Rascals, 3-0. Michael Davis blocked a penalty kick. Kevin Jones and John Delaney were defensive stalwarts.

The Rebels butted the Rams, 2-1, on goals by Troy Bevilacqua and Robert McVicor. Vince Sprowl tallied for the Rams. Greg Thoele had four saves, John Costello, six.

The Saints and Nighthawks tied, 1-1 on goals by Steve Shuey and Ron Fehrman. Dima Avoienko, Trent Hull and Bill Karney played fine defense.

Under-14

Mike Harris' goal, and the defense of Greg McBride and Tim Hinsel gave the Knaves a 1-1 tie with the Knights.

The Keys opened up the Kings, 3-2, with Pete Rocerto recording seven saves, and Steve Davis, two goals . Keith Mullard also scored. Jon Woodruff and Fred Carl had King goals.

The Torpedoes blanked the Terrors , 2-0 , on two Greg Myall goals. Tom Diller, Greg Pruitt and Ken Stores played well for the losers.

The Tormentors rode the glory of the Kaisers to a 2-0 win over the Tornadoes. Rory Kaiser had two goals. Eric Kaiser had 12 assists.

The Tigers blunted the Tomahawks, 2-1, as Rob Santos scored twice. Tim Garcia had eight saves. Ian Brown, Troy Myers and Brian Bouma played well.

The Tornadoes blew down the Tigers, 4-0, as David Richer scored twice. David Weathers and Bill Gibson had single goals.

The Torpedoes and Titanics fought to a 0-0 tie as Mike Costello and Mike Easlert notched five saves each.

Tom Diller and Rory Kaiser traded goals in the 1-1 tie between the Terrors and Tormentors. Eric Kaiser had 12 saves.

Under-16

The Wolves blanked the Whoppers, 2-0, on goals by Mike Hansen and Mike Croteau, and Bob Umland's six saves. Mike McInerney had 10 saves in a losing effort.

Don Otting and Ricky Bota scored in the Warlocks' 3-1 win over the Warriors. Don Lehman had five saves. Andy Ramon and Bob Korsenbrock played fine defense.

The Wildcats and Wolverines fought to a 2-2 tie. Scott Gregory and Dave Bennell had Cat scores. Dave Laudenbach notched both Wolverine goals.

Randy Gardner scored twice, Dave Albeert and Fluge Schoendienst, once each, and the Wolverines beat the Whoppers, 4-2. Cass Gimbert and Butch Hook and Whopper goals. Mike McInerney had 10 saves.

Steve Zevenove erupted for five goals leading the Wildcats past the Warlocks, 8-1. Chris Noland had two goals, Scott Gregory, one.

The Wolves and Warriors tied, 3-3. Mike Hansen scored twice for the Wolves, Luiz Figueiredo, once. Chris Baker played well at fullback.

Ed McMahan scored twice in the Bears 2-0 win over the Cheetahs

Al Caffodio

Two Mitch Wilkinson goals powered the Avengers past the Atomic X-Rays, 4-0. Jeff Rnoolff and Mike Sellar also scored. Rayn Kurtz and Jim Waldie played well.

The Alligators trimmed the Aztecs, 2-1. Martin Gibson and Jurgen Ruttke scored. Jeff Hill had the Aztec score.

The Apollos trampled the Granada Patriots, 4-1. Richard Hogan scored twice, Steve Plaw and Ronald Ledoux, once each. Kevin Barnes and Tim Johnson were instrumental.

The Antelopes managed a 1-1 tie with the Tigers on Gregg Stimpson's goal. Sean Clancy, Pat Newman and Shaun Jones were outstanding.

The Vulcans routed San Ramon's Bucaneers, 4-0. John Beaulieu had two goals. Ted Hanson and Mel Grisel scored one apeice. Mitch Haroldson, Mark Andrews and Saul Flores led the defense.

Ballistic United crushed the Newark Chargers, 7-0. Mark Deleray scored three goals. Todd Moore, David Croteau, Frankie Duarte and Mark Clay also scored.

The Spitfires defeated United, 1-0.

Mike Deleray and Karl Kesterke scored in United's 2-1 win over the Granada Pioneers. Andy Eelsing had four saves.

Kesterke, Peter Leaf and Todd Sweet scored in a 3-1 win over the St. Michael's Roadrunners. Eeelsing had seven saves.

United edged the Livermore Hurricanes, 3-2, on goals by Mark Fish, Scott Wise and Rob Dijos.

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Fleshman's 23 leads Cards

Mark Fleshman exploded for 23 points leading the Cardinals past the Dons, 55-28, in Dublin Youth Basketball Association action last week.

The Cards were aided by Tom Dunlop's 12 points, eight by Doug Daugherty and six by Kurt Vollbrecht.

For the Dons, Chris Zika scored 13, John Danskin, eight, and Barry Willings, seven.

The Spartans limited the Trojans to five points in the first half, and went on to a 66-22 victory. Paul Mangini paced the winners with 23 points, followed by Mark Watkins' 15, and Peter Mangini's 13. Perry Sellers added 10 points. Jim Henry poured through 11 for the Trojans.

The Bruins won by forfeit when the Bears could not field a full team.

The Colonials outlasted the Spirits, 27-18, paced by eight-point performances from Todd Vitale and Aaron Harmon. Eric Vallbrech scored five for the winners. The Spirits' Toby MacFarlane had a game-high 10 points.

Balanced scoring vaulted the Cougars past the Tams, 32-18. Jack Stevens topped the winners with 10 points, followed by three players with six points, Scott Tatman, Jim Grant and Mike Gaynor. Mike Okelberry had 10 points for the Tams.

Kurt Huska pumped in 12 points leading the Nets past the Squires, 32-18. The nets shut out the opposition in the fourth quarter. Mark Zika and Todd Fraser each scored four six points for the winners. John Collins, Gary McFarland and Pat Murphy had four each for the Squires.

David Snyder and Cam Whitty poured through 12 and 10 points as the Stars pounced the Pacers, 36-20. Bruce Brinker and Keith Hawks scored four points each. Ron Washburn had 11 points for the Pacers.

The Spurs crushed the Conquistadors, 54-23, out-scoring the opposition, 24-0 in the third quarter. Ken Zimmerman topped the winners with 14 points. Mike Major, Jorge Garratt and Scott Jeffery popped in 12 points each. Cliff Pope topped the Q's with 10, and Keith Jones had six.

Despite being shut out in the second quarter, the 76'ers edged the Capitols, 27-24. Robbie Maser had a game-high 10 points, Phil Hampton scored eight, and Scott Anderson, six. Steve Bustamente led the Caps with eight points. Russ Herrocks and Mike Gibbons each had four.

The Rockets nosed out the Lakers, 18-16, thanks to four-point performances by Jeff Gellerman and John Peterson.

John Berejka of the Lakers had six points, and Matt Fisher posted four.

The Knicks out-scored the Blazers, 8-2 in the final quarter for a 27-26 victory. Jeff Roderick had eight points, Kevin Earl, seven, George Zika, six, and Steve Badger, four, for the winners. The Blazers' Gary Gonzalves had 10 points. Jeff Cunningham scored six, and Keith Malatesta, four.

With Bill Callender and John Hodson each scoring eight points, the Suns blasted the Sonics, 26-12. Robbie Allen and Ken Mathia added six and four points. Tom Rollins and Steve McDonald had four apiece for the Sonics.

Painted in Livermore

Mike Mitchell's Revolution, a 1969 Corvette painted at Olson Paint Factory in Livermore, won the competition class award at the Oakland Roadster Show last weekend.

Mitchell, billing himself the "World's Fastest Hippie," will take his creation to a car show in Monterey this weekend.

The funny car is worth $10,000, and has covered the quarter mile in 8.4 seconds, hitting speeds of 189 miles per hour.

Sports in brief

EBAL baseball clubs open preseason play

EBAL baseball teams open their season today in a quartet of road games.

Granada will play at Pacific in San Leandro, Livermore is at Concord, Dublin plays at Bishop O'Dowd in Oakland, and Amador Valley travels to St. Mary's.

All games begin at 3:30 p.m.

Amador, defending EBAL champion, and the East Bay's top ranked team last season, played its first exhibition game Saturday night, losing to Moreau, 6-5 in Hayward.

In track today, Mission San Jose is at Livermore at 3:30.

Granada and Livermore play pre-season golf matches.

LL tryouts

Livermore American Little League will hold tryouts Saturday and Sunday at East Avenue School.

Saturday schedule — 10 a.m., 12-year olds; noon, 10-year olds; 2 p.m., 11-year olds

Sunday schedule — 10 a.m., 10-year olds; noon, 11-year olds; 2 p.m., 12-year olds.

Youngsters interested in playing on major league teams must attend two tryouts.

LL meeting

Livermore American Little League will hold a general meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. at East Avenue School multi-purpose room.

Women's SB

The Dublin Women's Softball Association is accepting new teams and individual players for the 1975 season, which begins in May.

For information, call 828-5517, or 828-6216.

Boot clinic

Livermore Girls' Soccer Club will sponsor a goal keepers clinic Sunday, March 16 at Junction Ave. School.

Boys and girls may participate. Cost is $1.

The coaching staff includes Luis Sagastume, and Orval Hughes, assistant coaches at Chico State, Ralph Woods and Ed Meyer of Tri-Valley Soccer Club, Tony Sako, Chico State goalie, and Steve Hector, All-American from Chabot College.

Times are 9 a.m. to noon for 12 years and younger, and 1 to 4 p.m. for 12-18 years of age. For information, call 455-0853.

Indoor ducats

Teenage soccer fans can attend the indoor soccer championships at the Cow Palace, Sunday, March 16, through the Livermore recreation department.

A bus will leave the Livermore Recreation Center, Eighth and H streets at 12:30 p.m. Transportation plus a game ticket is $2.

Game times are 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. Teams involved include San Jose, Dallas, New York and Tampa.

Tickets are available at the recreation department, 71 Trevarno Road, or by calling 447-7300.

Shamrocks shade Roses

The Shamrocks earned their first victory in Livermore Girls Soccer last weekend, edging the Green Roses, 2-1.

Michelle Brouillard and Shari Kyle scored. Laura Haslam had the Roses' goal. Eva Avador, Laura Lathrop and Susan Lynn played well on defense.

Linda Jansson scored twice in the Scarlet Runners' 2-0 win over the Orchids. Christine Wisuri, Kathy Brown and Denice Davis played good defense.

The Ramblin Roses rode Liz Pawek's seven saves and a Dawn Roberts goal to a 1-0 win over the Wildflowers. Teri Stockman, Donna Edwards and Cathy Hall played well.

The Achilleas and Marigolds tied, 1-1 in a game that featured goal tenders. Lori Hall of the Achilleas had 13 saves. The Marigolds' Liz Hamilton had 19 Sheri Jaeger scored for the Achilleas, Amy Gunter for the Marigolds.

The Cheroke Roses, with Michelle Ferrario scoring and Shannon White recording 11 saves, tied the Hollies, 1-1. Jennifer Bernard scored the Holly goal. Amy Lormand had seven saves.

With goals by Jan Patlovich and Lisa Emirich, the Snowflakes topped the Power Puffs, 2-1. Amy Kolander had eight saves. Arlene Lohrengel scored for the losers. Shelly Gorniak and Melinda Barton played well.

The Honeysuckles blanked the Dandelions, 3-0. Shannon Connor, Jody Brooks and Tammy Knorr scored. Sandra Spataro had eight saves.

Ruth Nadon pushed the Fuchsia's past the Hollyhocks, 1-0. Ruth also had 11 saves in goal. Theresa Lawrance, Karen Moniz and Angie Keller were defensive stalwarts.

Defense by Kim Shepard and Amellia Alvarez, plus Cheryl Bacon's goal, handed the Firebirds a 1-0 win over the Dust Devils. Karen Riley had six Devil saves.

The Blazing Stars dimmed the Asters, 1-0. Diana Horne scored. Sheri Paulo and Susan Ofiesh were defensive standouts. Tracey Horne had eight saves for the losers.

Anita Panusch scored two goals, while Toby Pearson, Susan Nutter and Leanne Stoddard scored once each in a 5-0 win over the Snapdragons. Cheri Rittman, Stephanie Wells and Holly Gronley keyed the defense.

The Calypsos and Wildwood Weeds tied, 2-2. Terri Booker and Andrea Widergren had Calypso goals. Jenny Barney and Nancy Paige scored for the Weeds.

Larrieu sets WR as US spikers win

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)— Francie Larrieu, running all alone after the first quarter-mile, broke her own world women's indoor record for the mile Monday night as a strong American team overpowered an inexperienced Russian squad in the fourth USSR-USA indoor track and field meet.

Miss Larrieu, a 22-year-old student from UCLA, was clocked in 4:28.5, one-half second under the world record which she established earlier this year.

Miss Larrieu's world record was the second of the night.

Vladimir Golubnichi, a 39-year-old Russian veteran, gave the Soviets one of their few bright spots with an indoor world mark of 19:46.2 in the three-mile walk.

The American men held an insurmountable 65-34 edge after nine events. The American women had also clinched the victory with a 58-30 lead after eight events.

Earlier, Charles Foster of North Carolina Central tied the world record in the 60-yard hurdles, and two American high school students equaled meet marks in the sprints.

Foster, the top-ranked hurdler in the world, equaled the mark of 6.8 seconds first set by Hayes Jones in 1964 and tied five times since.

Angel Doyle, a 16-year-old high school student from Harrisburg, Pa., tied the meet record of 6.6 in the women's 60-yard dash as she edged American teammate Martha Watson of Long Beach, Calif., who was clocked in 6.7.

Right after her, 18-year-old Houston McTear of Baker, Fla. tied the meet record of 6.0 seconds in the men's 60 as he barely beat out Mike McFarland of Indiana, who ran 6.1.

The first Russian victory was a meet record 10:02.6 two-mile by Irina Bondarchuk, but Olympic 1,500-meter champion Ludmilla Bragina was beaten out for second place by the Americans' Kathleen Keyes of Los Angeles.

Then the Americans came right back with a sweep of the women's 440 as 16-year-old Robin Campbell of Washington, D.C. broke the meet record with a time of 55.1 seconds.

In something of a surprise, Jane Frederick of Orinda, Calif. set a meet record in the women's triathlon, scoring 2,902 points for the first American victory in this event in three years.

Area tennis

Pleasanton Racquet Club 6, Diablo 3

Kinkle, D. d. Cannon, 7-5, 6-1; Osmer, D, d. DiBase, 4-6, 7-5, 6-0; Bowden, p. d. Schneider, 6-0, 7-5; Egle, P, d. Gordon, 7-5, 2-6, 7-5; Pigeon, D. d. Mosket, 6-4, 6-1

Cannon, DiBiase, P, d. McDonald, O'Neill, 6-4, 6-4; Siason, Cox, P. d. Baggett, Millinich, 6-3, 6-4; Jackson, Bowden, P, d. Stone, Toney, 6-1, 6-4; Lawver, Egle, P, d. Kissick, Colter, 6-2, 6-1

Pleasanton swimmers shatter 6

Six Pleasanton Swim Club records were smashed last weekend in two different competitions.

At the Cordova Junior-Senior meet, Kathy Cohan broke three standards, the 200-yard butterfly, 2:24.2, the 1,650 freestyle, 19:56.3, and the 400 individual medley, 4:59.9.

David Bowker set new marks in the 50 breast stroke, 42.8, and the 50 fly, 38.0. at the Piedmont Hills A meet.

Kaye Fernandes established a 200 IM record of 2:57.6.

Piedmont Hills Results

8-under — David Bowker, 1st 50 breast, 42.8, 1st 50 fly, 38.0, 2nd 100 IM, 1:23.7, 3rd 50 back, 41.7, 6th 50 free, 35.8

11-12 — Robbie Chenault, 6th 100 breast, 1:21.5; Kaye Fernandes, 200 IM, 2:57.4

Cordova Results

Kathy Cohan, 1st 200 fly, 2:24.2, 1st 200 IM, 2:72.8, 2nd 400 IM, 4:59.9, 2nd 100 back, 1:09.1, 3rd 200 back, 2:27.8

Lisa Lanini, 6th 200 breast, 2:47.7, 8th 100 breast, 1:19.2

Katie Fleischer, 2nd 200 free, 2:05.2, 6th 200 IM, 2:29.1

Glenmoor Results

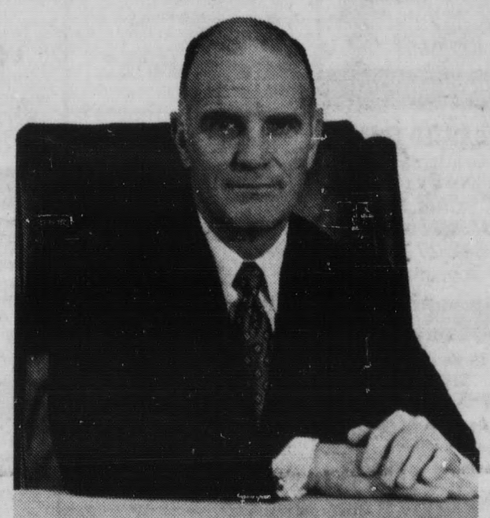
11-12 boys — Robbie Chenault, 1st 50 free (A time), 2nd 100 IM (A time), 6th 100 free; Leonard Pagcaliaugan, 3rd 50 free (A time), 4th 100 fly, 6th 100 IM, 6th 200 free, 7th 100 breast; Richard Cole, 7th 50 free; Tom Wilson, 3rd 500 free (A time); Jeff Ysells, 4th 100 back (A time), 5th 100 IM (A time), 5th 100 fly, 6th 100 breast; Tracy Schmer, 1st 100 back (A time), 2nd 50 free (A time), 4th 100 IM, (A time), 5th 100 free

15-18 girls — Ingrid Ysells, 2nd 200 breast, 3rd 200 back, 6th 200 free; Sue Lovell, 1st 200 free (Atime), 1st 200 back (A time), 2nd 500 free

13-14 boys — Jeff Whitlock, 7th 200 breast

13-14 girls — Sue Morton, 6th 100 free; Julie Pearson, 4th 50 free (A time), 8th 200 IM

PG&E's costs are going up half a billion dollars again next year



S. L. Sibley, PG&E's Chairman of the Board

Major Rate Increases Necessary to Maintain Quality of Utility Service

For the third consecutive year Pacific Gas and Electric Company in 1976 will face a half billion dollar increase in its costs. Inflation, soaring operating costs, spiraling prices for fuel, increased costs of taxes, wages, materials, construction and cost of money including interest rates on borrowed money–are among the economic burdens afflicting suppliers of gas and electric service all across the nation.

And they are the reasons why PG&E filed with the California Public Utilities Commission on February 25 for gas and oil cost adjustments of $140 million to be effective April 1, and a general gas and electric rate increase of $497 million for next year.

The filing for next year was made this early to give the CPUC time in which to hold public hearings.

The rate increases granted by the CPUC during the past two years have been only to offset increases in the prices paid for gas and oil. None has been granted to compensate for the other increases in the cost of doing business.

In addition to the new applications the company has pending a request for a $233 million general rate increase for 1975 filed 18 months ago, and a $68 million gas price offset. The former is still in the process of public hearings.

More than half the requested rate increases would fall on the company's commercial, industrial and agricultural customers.

The fuel cost adjustments are to pass on $103 million in higher costs of the fuel PG&E buys to generate electricity and a $37 million El Paso Natural Gas Company price increase announced last week. This increase would boost the typical household user's electric bill by a monthly average of $1.01 and the gas bill by 46 cents.

The general rate increase would not be effective until 1976, after CPUC public hearings and decision. It would cover the company's increased costs of operation other than those for oil and gas. It would add an average of $6.41 monthly to the combined gas and electric bill of the typical residential customer using 500 kilowatt-hours of electricity and 100 therms of gas per month.

It is quite possible that there will be additional increases in the price of natural gas and oil this year and next, necessitating further rate increases. The company's oil costs already have increased 800 per cent since 1970–from $2 a barrel to $16 today–and the company's use of oil in its power plants has increased from less than one-half million barrels in 1970 to approximately 30 million barrels this year. Gas prices have more than doubled in the past two years alone.

When PG&E's two big nuclear units in San Luis Obispo County come into service (one next year and the other a year later) our fuel oil purchases will be reduced as much as 2 million barrels a month. These will reduce the company's dependence on high-priced foreign oil. If interest rates should drop and inflation should ease, these factors should also help ease the upward pressure on gas and electric rates.

To Our Customers:

This is a personal message of concern over our having to seek higher rates for your gas and electric service.

We are distressed, as everyone is, over the burdens of inflation and recession, especially on those people who are struggling to make ends meet. But there is simply no way we can avoid the energy crisis and the drastic impact of inflation on utility rates. We have to meet our costs and they must be reflected in rates if the quality of utility service is to be maintained.

Despite energy conservation, demand is growing. New customers are coming on our lines. New facilities must be built at today's high construction costs. We must provide for higher costs of wages, materials, interest rates and fuels.

Not to do so would quickly lead to severe deterioration of service and public dissatisfaction and, in the final analysis, higher not lower rates.

Inflation and a worldwide energy crisis have wiped out the days of cheap energy for utility customers all over the nation. Yet even with these rate increases, the average PG&E bill will continue to be among the lowest in the nation.

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80. Homes for Rent

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Dagmar Fulton of Pleasanton, who served as secretary - treasurer of the Valley Memorial Hospital board of directors for 14 years, is now heading that board while newly elected Emily Schwartz takes over record - keeping duties. Art Henry of Livermore is vice chairman. Mrs. Fulton, a member of the Orloff family who have been long - time Valley settlers, is active in many community affairs. A former businesswoman, she was executive secretary of the Alameda County Farm Bureau, secretary of the Valley Water Committee which was responsible for forming the Zone 7 water board; is a member of the Republican Central Committee; and recently won this year's Community Service Award from the Pleasanton Chamber of Commerce.

(Times photo)

Pizza night

Tuesday, March 11 beginning at 4 p.m., Vintage Hills P.T.A. will sponsor a "Pizza Night" at Gay 90's Pizza in Pleasanton. Residents throughout the Valley are invited to attend and are asked to mention Vintage Hills School when purchasing their pizza. Regular prices will prevail. For further information call Janet Gabrielson, 846-2669. Ann Gabrielson, Megan Town, Janet, Mark and Paul couldn't wait until the night of the Pizza Party, so had a preview sampling of what is in store for those attending. Proceeds from the evening will go toward landscaping around the school. Take-out orders also are available.

Stanton T. Friedman

Saucer authority talk set

PLEASANTON — Stanton T. Friedman, a renowned scientist and lecturer on unidentified flying objects, will speak at the Amador Valley High School auditorium Wednesday, March 19 at 8 p.m.

The program is being sponsored and organized by the school's Sociology Speakers Program directed by Robert Holland. The public is invited and tickets will be available at the door. Admission is $2.

Friedman's appearance is considered a coup by Holland. Friedman speaks on the civic and college circuits normally.

Holland said he is encouraging physicists and the general scientific community in the valley to attend.

"Flying Saucers Are Real" is the title of Friedman's illustrated lecture.

He is the only space scientist in the country known to be spending full time on UFOs. In 1973 he spoke at 93 colleges in 41 states.

Friedman's illustrated lecture will cover five large scale scientific studies of UFOs including the infamous Condon Report, UFO landings, humanoids, travel to the stars and the arguments of the "educated nonbelievers."

Holland said if Friedman's appearance arouses sufficient interest, it could be the start of a regular series of noted speakers on various subjects.

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